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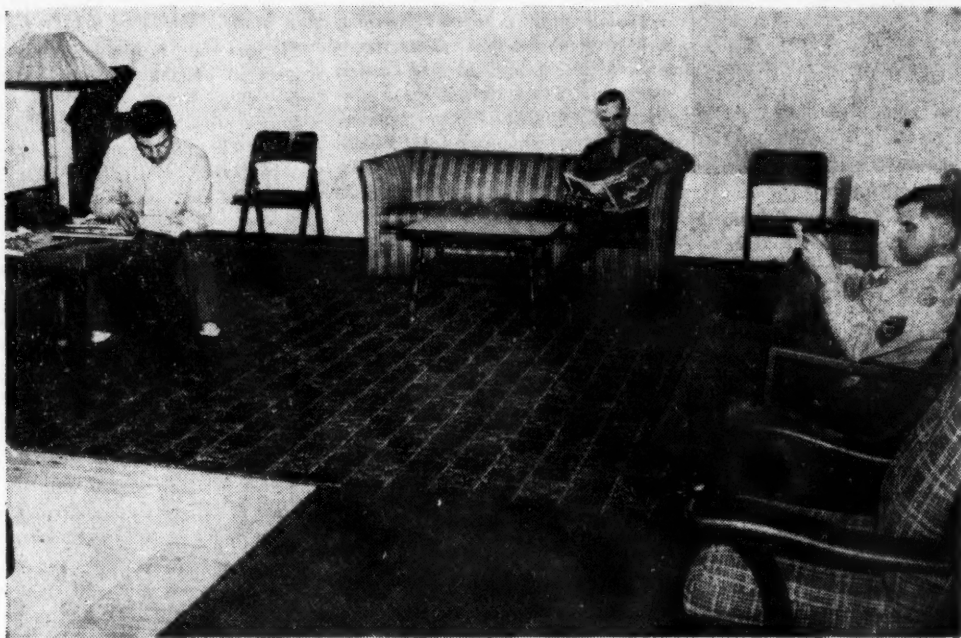
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NEW PARTITION PLAN CONSIDERED

South Bend Lodge Furnishes Day Room



Special
SOUTH BEND—Mamre Lodge No. 824, B'nai B'rith, furnished this day room at the South Bend

airport for members of the Army Air Force ferry command, three of whom are already busy enjoying it. The men are Pfc. Martin

Brody, Newark, N. J., Sgt. Arthur Blank, Chicago, and Sgt. Leroy Mathews, Newcastle, Pa. — South Bend Tribune Photo.

Greenberg to Address United Hebrew Friday

The United Hebrew Congregation will dedicate services this Friday evening to the war veterans. The local post of the Jewish War Veterans will participate, headed by Max Rutenberg as post commander and Sam Sofnas as post adjutant.

An address will be made by the National Commander, Archie H. Greenberg. Commander Greenberg will be in the city Thursday and Friday as the guest of the American Legion and will wind up his activities here by the address at the services.

Among those present to bring greetings to Commander Greenberg and the war veterans will be Governor Henry F. Schricker.

Rabbi Samuel J. Fox will conduct the service and the ladies auxiliary of the Jewish War Veterans, headed by Mrs. M. D. Barnett will act as hostesses at the social hour following. The entire community is invited.

DAYAN, GALLIN IN CHICAGO

Edward Dayan, president of the Jewish Education Association, and Meyer Gallin, superintendent, spent Monday in Chicago conferring with Dr. Leo Honor of the Chicago Board of Jewish Education, who is making a survey of Jewish Education in Indianapolis.

POSTPONE MEETING

The Junior Council fireside meeting scheduled for Tuesday, Nov. 23, at the home of Ogla Beyer, has been postponed. A new date will be announced in the near future.

THANKSGIVING SCHEDULE

Kirshbaum Center will be open all day on Thanksgiving for its members and servicemen.

WISE TO SPEAK AT TERRE HAUTE

TERRE HAUTE—Dr. Stephen S. Wise of New York City will be in Terre Haute Tuesday evening, Dec. 7 to address the annual meeting of the Jewish Federation. The surrounding community is invited to attend the dinner and meeting at Temple Israel. There will be no solicitations.

Reception Services to Honor Beth El Officers

Newly elected officers of Beth El-Zedeck Congregation will be honored tonight at special services, following which a reception in their honor will be held in the vestry rooms. Robert B. Stolkin, the new president will address the congregation. Others elected are Edward M. Dayan, vice-president; Leo Selig, secretary, and Louis Barnett, treasurer.

Cantor Glass and the choir, under Janot S. Roskin, will chant the services and Rabbi Israel Chodos will speak on "The Privilege of Jewish Leadership."

NAVY DAY ESSAY WINNER

Among winning contestants in the Navy Day essay contests recently held in Indiana schools, was Miss Lois Fink of Michigan City. She is a student at Isaac C. Elston Senior High School, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Fink. Her essay was one of six selected from entries from the entire state.

DALE TO GIVE BOOK CHAT

Harry Dale, local book dealer, will review "The Apostle" by Sholem Asch, the 3rd in a series of Book Chats, to be held at 8:15 p. m., Tuesday, Nov. 23, at Kirshbaum Center.

White Paper to Stand, Indication Now

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

LONDON—The White Paper, by the terms of which Britain's government will terminate immigration into Palestine in March next year, will not be abrogated, it was indicated this week in a House of Commons address by Colonial Secretary Col. Oliver Stanley.

Stanley reported that the immigration quota of 75,000 has not been filled, but that up until September, 43,992 Jews had entered the country legally and illegally, and that immigration would continue to be permitted until the quota is met, even if that should be after March, 1944. The British government, he said, considered that it would be unfair to

Louisville Boy Killed in Plane Crash

Special

LOUISVILLE — Gilbert L. Ades Jr., 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Ades, was killed at Cochran Field near Macon, Ga., during a night flight Nov. 8. He had attended Purdue University and Speed Scientific school, and had been in the service since the first of the year.

He was to have been married in January to Miss Ruth Bayersdorfer of Louisville. Funeral services will be held this afternoon.

B'nai B'rith Calls Ruling Body Meet

Special

NEW YORK — Some kind of action on the withdrawal of the American Jewish Committee from the American Jewish Conference is expected when the Central Administrative Board of B'nai B'rith meets here this Saturday at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel. The B'nai B'rith was the original sponsor of the conference. The Administrative Board was not scheduled to meet any more this year.

United Synagogue Withdraws

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

NEW YORK — The United Synagogue of America this week announced its withdrawal from the American Jewish Committee because of the latter's withdrawal from the American Jewish Conference.

close the doors of Palestine to those persons unable to enter before the closing date, if the quota is not met before that time.

ARAB MINISTER SAYS U. S. NOT TO IMPOSE ZIONISM IN PALESTINE; LEBANESE SITUATION WATCHED

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

NEW YORK—The belief that the British and American governments would not attempt to impose the Zionist program for a Jewish state in Palestine upon the Arabs was expressed here by the Saudi-Arabian Minister to Britain, Sheikh Hafiz Wahba, upon the conclusion of a tour through the United States in the company of Emir Feisal, the son of King Ibn Saud. "They would not try to force the Arabs to accept the Zionist idea," he said, emphasizing that his opinions were his own and were not to be taken as those of Emir Feisal who is also the Saudi-Arabian Foreign Minister. He conceded that the Zionist movement was considerable in the United States, but added that "whatever its power, the Arabs will never yield."

Lebanese Events May Influence Palestine

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

JERUSALEM—Both Jews and Arabs in Palestine were watching the developments in neighboring Lebanon this week with great interest. It is felt here that the events in Lebanon may eventually influence the situation in Palestine. Should Lebanon succeed in having the League of Nations' mandate rescinded and in establish-

ing complete sovereignty against the will of the French administration, then the Palestine mandate may similarly be challenged before its fate is decided by the League of Nations or any other international body which may replace the League.

Says Arab-Jewish Understanding Needed

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

JERUSALEM — An understanding between Arabs and Jews in Palestine "in order to successfully conclude the talks for Arab unity which are now taking place in Cairo" was urged this week by the Arab leader Issa Elissa, editor of the leading Arab newspaper Falastin, who has just returned from Cairo.

Arabs Protest Willkie Stand

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

LONDON—Reuter's reports from Cairo that the Arab League has cabled a message to the U. S. Secretary of State Cordell Hull in which it protested against the pro-Zionist statements sent by Wendell Willkie and Governor Dewey to the Zionist mass meeting held on Balfour Day at Carnegie Hall in New York. The protest emphasized that the League considers that "Palestine belongs to the Arabs alone."

Arab Leaders Get Details For Reaction

By VICTOR BIENSTOCK
(Jewish Telegraph Agency Correspondent)

CAIRO — A new plan for the partition of Palestine into Jewish and Arab territories is now under consideration as a solution to the Arab-Jewish problem, it was authoritatively learned here this week. The plan has already been submitted to several Arab leaders to obtain their reaction.

Details of the plan have already been worked out, but they cannot be disclosed for the time being. It can be stated, however, that the proposal differs widely from the partition plan proposed by the British Royal Commission, which was headed by Lord Peel, in 1937.

(The Peel plan envisioned the division of Palestine into an Arab State, comprising about two-thirds of the country, a small Jewish State, and neutral areas which were to remain under British rule.)

While the Peel plan sought to bring all Jews in Palestine within a proposed Jewish section of the country and to leave no Arabs there, the present project involves leaving a substantial Jewish population outside of the proposed Jewish area, which would have a good size Arab minority. It is understood that under this plan the southern undeveloped part of Palestine, known as the Negev, would be given to the Jews.

It was emphasized here today that there is no connection between the new partitions project and the discussions on the establishment of a pan-Arab federation which are now taking place in Cairo.

In the Service Now

With Indiana's Jewish Boys at War

Lt. Draizar Transferred

Lt. Paul Draizar has been transferred from Camp McCoy, Wis., to Camp Phillips, Kas.

David Kahn Inducted

David Kahn, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Carroll Kahn, has been inducted into the army.

Back Home in Indiana

HAMMOND — Lieut. Leonard Kraus is now at Camp Atterbury, having been transferred from Camp Forrest, Tenn. He is the son of Mrs. B. Kraus.

Give Him His Boots and Saddle

HAMMOND—Pfc. Nathan Natkin, Hammond, is going to Texas from Camp Campbell. He has just returned from maneuvers with the tank corps.

Just a Little Transfer

SOUTH BEND—Cpl. Harold M. Weinstein has been transferred from India to China, according to word received by his wife, Mrs. Beatrice Weinstein.

HOME FROM CALIFORNIA

Sgt. Sander Leventhal, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Leventhal 532 E. 37th St., is home on furlough from Camp Cooke, Calif., visiting his parents. He also visited friends in Lafayette this week.

Changes Address

HAMMOND—Pvt. Arthur Greenberg has had a change of address. It's now Co. D, 131st Inf., Fort Benning, Ga.

On Other Side of World

HAMMOND—Pvt. Danny Natkin writes home that he is in China. He's in the office of his unit as a teletype operator. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Natkin.

Recovering

HAMMOND—Corporal William Greenberg of Hammond is now out of the hospital, where he was confined for ten days with a wrenched shoulder. Corporal Greenberg is stationed at Myrtle Beach, S. C. He is a radio operator in the Air Corps.

Transferred

HARTFORD CITY—Cpl. Laurel W. Stein, son of Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Stein, has been transferred from Camp Perry (Ohio) to Fort Hayes at Columbus, Ohio. He is a member of an Infantry Band which has just completed a six-weeks bond selling tour.

Graff Boys Moved

TERRE HAUTE — Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Graff of the transfers of their sons Pfc. Fred Graff to Sioux Falls, S. D. and Cpl. Edward Graff to Ft. Louis, Washington.

New Phi Ep Head



PHILADELPHIA — At a meeting of the Grand Council of Phi Epsilon Pi, national Jewish College fraternity, Maurice Jacobs, was elected Grand Superior.

WAC Corporal on Furlough

TERRE HAUTE—Cpl. Jane Bogin of the WAC arrived Sunday to spend a portion of her furlough with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bogin. Cpl. Bogin, who is in the division of chemical warfare, is stationed at Edgewood Arsenal, Maryland. She will spend the balance of her furlough with her sister, Frieda Bogin in New York City.

Captain Berkowitz Home

TERRE HAUTE—Cpl. Philip E. E. Berkowitz, son of Mrs. Elias Berkowitz, is home on a 10-day furlough. Mrs. Berkowitz and son spent a few days this week in Indianapolis, visiting Dr. and Mrs. H. F. Sudranski. Mrs. Sudranski is the daughter of Mrs. Berkowitz.

Couldn't Find Each Other

FT WAYNE—Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schwartz that their son, Lt. I. R. Schwartz and their son-in-law, Capt. F. R. Tourkow were both stationed in Tunisia but failed to meet. Lt. Schwartz is still in Tunisia but Capt. Tourkow is now in Italy.

Gets Basic at Jefferson

HAMMOND—Pvt. Marvin Levin, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Levin, is now stationed at Jefferson Barracks where he's taking his basic training.

Men's Club Plans Thanksgiving Service

At the annual Men's Club Thanksgiving Day service at Beth El Thursday night, Nov. 25, Dr. McPheters of North Methodist Church will be the principal speaker. All rabbis in the city will participate as well as the Beth El choir, led by Cantor Glass.

This service will be open to the public.

Auxiliary to Meet Monday

The Jewish Educational Auxiliary will hold its regular meeting at 2 p. m. Monday at Kirshbaum Center. The opening prayer will be by Mrs. Meyer Sachs, and Rabbi Samuel J. Fox will be the guest speaker. Mrs. Arthur Schwartz will read a Thanksgiving poem.

HARTFORD CITY—Mrs. Seymour Stein is the guest of Mrs. M. Katz at Columbus, Ohio. She is visiting her son, Cpl. Laurel Stein, at Ft. Hayes.

JEWS SHOULD NOT BE OFFENDED AT CATHOLIC TEACHINGS, BISHOP SAYS

(Bishop Francis J. Noll of Fort Wayne, in the first of a series of articles in the Indiana Catholic, this week declared that the particular grievance of many Jews against Christianity and Catholicism is due to the emphasis in religious teachings on the crucifixion of Christ. The article follows in its entirety.)

From letters received from Jews of prominence, from conversations with eminent Jewish leaders, from articles he has read in Jewish periodicals, the author is quite convinced that the chief grievance which Jews have against Christianity today, and against the Catholic church in particular, is due to the emphasis which Jews believe is placed on the crucifixion of Christ "by the Jews."

They feel that prejudice generating anti-Semitism is instilled against members of their race in the hearts of young Gentiles—in Sunday school classes among Protestants, and in religious classes at parochial schools.

For quite the same reason they are irritated by the civic as well as by the religious observance of Good Friday when they imagine, the entire Jewish race is denounced from the pulpit. It is quite natural, therefore, for them to feel hurt at the exhibition of passion plays.

Jewish Views

In the September, 1923, number of B'nai B'rith News, the editor made his observation on the Oberammergau passion play:

"For nearly 300 years the impressionable Bavarians have been flocking to the performances at Oberammergau and carrying away with them an overwhelming hatred of the Jew who is presented throughout as a villain, inhuman in his persecution of the Good Shepherd. It is more than a mere coincidence that Hitler, the leader of the most vicious anti-Semitic organization in Europe, enlisted his Grey Shirts in nearby Munich."

Back in 1922, the author had correspondence with Rabbi Stephen Wise on the subject of the Oberammergau passion play. Rabbi Wise had witnessed it in the year 1920, and he felt personally convinced that any Jew in the audience would regard the production as anti-Jewish in effect, if not in intent. He wrote:

"Some day I should like to discuss with you the passion play and you would understand my point of view, which was incorrectly reported by some newspaper man who probably did not even hear the address. I could not, however, help feeling as I sat at Oberammergau that the totality of the effect of the presentation of the passion play was very bad from the point of view of my people. The Jewishness of Judas was over-stressed and the Jewishness of Jesus and his mother was under-stressed and really ignored. In Chicago and elsewhere I have simply tried to make clear that I regretted the passion play, not because it sought to do this but, because in effect, it made listeners feel that Jews had crucified Jesus, when in truth the one thing to make clear is that under God it had been given to my people to become Christ-bringers, the bearers of the life and spirit of Jesus to the world. But some day we must talk it over fully and frankly."

"In the meantime, heartfelt

thanks to you again for your kindness."

"American Israelite"

David Philipson, writing in The American Israelite (Cincinnati), also expressed the belief that the continued bad feeling between Jews and Christians is largely due to the manner in which the story of Christ's life is presented from the Christian pulpit and in the Christian home. He says:

"It was only a small number of priests in official positions at the time who were guilty of denouncing Jesus to the Roman governor. The people at large were not involved. In fact, it is written in the Book of Mark that the people heard Jesus gladly. Why, in the interest of goodwill and love, shall this not be stated? And why shall it not be further taught that the Jews whom the children know, and the Jews with whom Christians come into contact today are not to be held responsible for the acts of the band of ancient Jewish priests?"

"Why, in the interest of love and good will, shall not the preachers from Christian pulpits and the teachers in Christian day schools point out the fine deeds of humanity and philanthropy of Jewish men and women in the world at large, and in the communities where they live? By implanting such ideas they will perform the greatest service in displacing the prejudice that now so largely holds. The darkness can be dispelled only by letting in the light. The baleful fires of hatred and prejudice can be extinguished only by the refreshing showers of good will and human feeling. Some such method will contribute more than anything else toward eradicating the century-old prejudice against the Jews in the Christian world."

Catholics Are Taught

The author attended a parochial elementary school, a Catholic high school and college, and had graduate work under Catholic auspices, yet, during those 18 years, never once gathered the impression from religious textbooks or from teachers that the Jews should be excluded from the charity of Catholics because of the part comparatively few Jews had in the crucifixion of Jesus Christ.

Catholic teaching rather centers around the infinite love shown by Christ for mankind in deliberately and freely choosing to make the supreme sacrifice for the redemption of the human race. Holy Scripture clearly declares that Christ "offered Himself because He willed it"; it also makes it very clear that the Jewish people of Palestine as a whole actually loved Christ, that they followed Him by the thousands even for three days without having anything to eat; that they welcomed Him into Jerusalem with hosannas only five days before His execution; that "He was tried by night for fear of the Jews."

The only ones blamed by Catholics were "the high priests, Scribes and Pharisees," rabble-rousers who were jealous of Christ's popularity among the people and who, therefore, strove to get rid of Him.

The fact that the majority of Jews in Palestine loved and fol-

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Hail Jewish War Fund Workers

By HARRY JOSEPH

With complete returns from the Industrial and Special Gifts Divisions of the United War Fund campaign still unavailable, figures released this week indicated that Jewish workers in the drive had covered themselves with glory. This is of special significance since this is the first campaign in which the Jewish Welfare Fund has participated as an affiliate of the United War Fund.

In the Individual Gifts Division, David Cook and Allan Goldstein lead the entire eight districts of the division with 168.2 per cent of their quota or a total of \$24,164.35. Their district was first to go over the top and continued to keep the lead throughout the drive. Paul Madison and Sydney Mahalowitz, co-chairmen of District No. 4 came in fifth with a total of 111.8 per cent of their quota. They turned in \$10,598.00 in pledges.

Yeoman service was rendered by Captain Mac Laner who headed two teams and brought in both to victory. His team No. 75 lead all seventy in the Individual Gifts Division with the outstanding score of 319.4 per cent. Team No. 78 which he also captained did a good job bringing in 138.4 per cent of its quota. Other team standings in this division were as follow:

Team	Captains	Per Cent
85	Herb Backer	
	Bob Schwab	155.5
26	Isidore Katz	143.9
86	Herbert Falender	117.9
44	Jack Kammins	
	Ivan Snyder	115.6
47	Ben Blieden	
	Harry Wissel	112.1
47	Sam Hoffman	110.9

The Residential Gifts Division of which Mrs. David L. Sablosky was co-chairman brought in 12,921 pledges for a total of \$93,560.44 or 111.4 per cent of their quota. More than a hundred Jewish women participated in the drive. Mrs. Victor Goldberg was co-chairman of District No. 10 and Mrs. Archibald C. Cohen, co-chairmen of District No. 2. Highest percentage in the Residential Division was made by Rosalie Lurvey, who topped the entire drive with 670 per cent of her quota based on 16 pledges totalling \$134.00. While most of the captains were women, four men captained teams in this division. Team standings were as follow:

Team	Captains	Per Cent
98	Mrs. Morris L. Jacobs	
	Mrs. Arthur C. Levy	127.0
101	Mrs. R. W. Greenberg	
	Mrs. Herman Chalfie	81.1
102	Mrs. David Lipp	
	Mrs. Sidney Weinstein	71.3
103	Mrs. David Granowsky	
	Mrs. A. Bartick	105.6
104	Mrs. Louis Trinz	
	Mrs. S. Carrie Kahn	118.5
105	Mrs. Lou Leventhal	
	Miss Florence Goldberg	98.0
112	Mrs. Chas P. Efromysson	127.7
119	Miss Rosalie Lurvey	670.0
122	Mrs. J. K. Berman	126.7
222	Dave Berman	100.0
223	Sam Yaver	115.1
231	Sam Cohen	110.9
232	Nate Regen	96.4
235	Mrs. Saul Hoffman	97.9
236	Mrs. Sam Hoffman	121.9

In a study now under way by the Jewish Welfare Fund, United War

NOTICE

Because of the Thanksgiving holiday, copy for next week's issue of The Post must be in our office by noon Tuesday, one day earlier than usual.

Hillel Dedication Set for Sunday

Special BLOOMINGTON—

The dedication program of the new Hillel House at Indiana University, will begin at 10 a. m. Sunday. Those participating in the morning program will be Leon Levin, president of the Indiana-Kentucky State B'nai B'rith Association; Chaplain Jacob M. Ott of Camp Breckinridge; Saul Munter, chairman of the Hillel Advisory Committee; Rabbi Samuel Berman, of Jersey City, N. J., grandson of the late Rabbi Jacob Frommer; Jack N. Gole, past-president, Indiana-Kentucky State Association; Mrs. Harold I. Platt, president of the State Association Auxiliaries; Harry Pryweller, chairman of the Hillel Kosher Kitchen Committee; Judy Grusin, president of the Hillel Student Council, and Rabbi Aaron Rine of South Bend.

Students on the Hillel Council in charge of activities for the dedication are Judy Grusin, June Gole, Barbara Ann Levy, Melva Sussman, Marvella J. Gilbert, Fay Sand, Mildred Dumes, Frances Lapin, Rebecca Leash, Gerald Fink, Murray Sapperstein, Julia Aisenstadt, Milton Bohard, Frank Unger, Elaine Bronstein, Charles Hamer, Adele Greenbrg, Leon Brown, Dave Hamburg, Sylvia Cawn, Ellen Hyman, Betty Spivak, and Ellen Gutman.

At luncheon at noon, toastmaster Jack N. Gole will present the speakers. Greetings will be brought to the group by Leon Levin, Lewis Sutin, Harry Frankel, Mrs. Harold I. Platt, Dr. Frank O. Beck, Capt. Robert E. Lowes, Capt. William E. Mullen, Dr. John H. Mueller, Mrs. Sam Fagan, and Marvella J. Gilbert. Prof. Samuel S. Cohon, of the Hebrew Union College Faculty, will be the guest speaker at a campus inter-faith convocation at 3 p. m. on the "Function of Religion in Modern Society." He will speak in co-operation with the University Committee on Religion, and the Student Religious Cabinet.

Duranty to Speak At Forum Nov. 28

Walter Duranty, world-famed foreign correspondent, will be the next Open Forum speaker at Kirshbaum Center on Sunday night, Nov. 28. His topic will be "Russia and Post-War Europe."

Mr. Duranty is regarded as one of the world's greatest experts on modern Russia. He was the Moscow correspondent for the New York Times from 1921 to 1934 and in 1932 was awarded the Pulitzer Prize for his correspondence from that country. He is also the author of such celebrated books as "I Write As I Please," "Babies Without Tails," and "The Kremlin and the People." Rowland Allen, personnel director of L. S. Ayres & Co., will be the chairman for the lecture.

Fund figures will be analyzed to arrive at a comparison between the amounts given last year to the Welfare Fund and the sums attributed to the Welfare Fund this year.

Conference May Attack Army Group

By BORIS SMOLAR

(Editor Jewish Telegraphic Agency.)

NEW YORK — The American Jewish Conference may soon issue a statement which will come as quite a blow to the groups which have branched out from the Committee for a Jewish Army.

Jewish leaders are especially incensed at the Emergency Committee to Save Jews of Europe because of the fact that this committee was responsible for the introduction of a resolution in the Senate and in the House which urges the creation of a special commission to plan the rescue of Jews in Nazi Europe. Excellent as this resolution may seem, important American Jewish leaders consider it harmful. In fact, we understand that Senator Gillette who introduced this resolution in the Senate was asked by well-known Jewish leaders to abstain from doing so. So was Rep. Will Rogers Jr. before he introduced the resolution

ENGLISH CLASS RESUMED

Mrs. Israel Chodos will resume her English Diction Class at Kirshbaum Center on Tuesday, Nov. 23, at 8:00 p. m.

in the House. Both preferred, however, to act on the advice of the emergency committee and against the will of the American Jewish Congress, the American Jewish Conference, and others.

In terming this resolution harmful, Jewish leaders indicate that important negotiations are now going on behind the scenes in official Washington which may bring tangible results as far as saving the Jews of Europe. But these negotiations, in which the State Department is involved, may be hampered as a result of the Gillette-Rogers resolution, they claim. At any rate members of both houses of Congress, as well as high Washington officials, now have in their hands for the first time information as to the exact nature of the groups which have branched out from the Committee for a Jewish Army. And this information will soon be made available to the public.

Dr. Bardin to Address Zionist Youth Monday

Dr. Shlomo Bardin, National Director of the American Zionist Youth Commission and Director of the Brandeis Camp, will speak at Kirshbaum Center at 8:30 p. m. Monday at a special meeting of the local Zionist Youth Commission. He will discuss the local youth problems. The meeting is open to the public.

The second Leaders Institute meeting sponsored by the group will be held at 8 p. m. Tuesday evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Calderon, 1009 Church St.

Mueller, Hyman Attend Cleveland Sessions

Samuel Mueller, President of the Jewish Federation, and H. Joseph Hyman, Executive Director are attending the two day meeting of the Executive Committee of the Council of Jewish Federations and Welfare Fund being held this Saturday and Sunday at Hotel Carter, Cleveland. Mr. Mueller, who is treasurer, will be chairman of a meeting on "Community Organization for Convalescent Care."

PETITION

to Franklin Delano Roosevelt

President of the United States of America

and to the United States Congress
in legislative session assembled

The extermination of an entire people arouses the decent instincts of mankind to demand that immediate and effective measures be taken to stop such barbarous action.

We, Americans, have always upheld the right of all men to "life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness," and have engaged in two world wars on the side of humanity, civilization and democracy.

Therefore, we, the undersigned Americans, call upon the Executive and Legislative branches of our Government to create a special Intergovernmental Agency to save the Jewish people of Europe, with powers and means to act at once and on a large scale.

We also respectfully petition our Government to convey to the British Government, which was entrusted with the Mandate over Palestine, the desire of Americans that the doors of Palestine be opened to all European Jews escaping the death trap of Europe, and their conviction that it is against all justice that the Jews alone, of all peoples, are not allowed free entry into Palestine.

We hereby appeal to the President and the Congress of the United States, the guardians of America's humanitarian tradition, to take this action at once.

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Please write your name and address legibly on this petition. Our quota is five million signatures. We shall be grateful for any contribution you can make to be used in further publicizing and distributing this petition. EMERGENCY COMMITTEE TO SAVE THE JEWISH PEOPLE OF EUROPE, Regional Office, 139 N. Clark St., Suite 705, Chicago, Ill.

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STATE IN REVIEW

STATE SOCIETY

Lillian Waid, Rabbi Smith Wed in Gary

Special GARY—Six rabbis officiated last Sunday afternoon at Temple Beth El when Miss Lillian Waid, daughter of Cantor and Mrs. Jacob Waid of Chicago, became the bride of Rabbi Harold P. Smith, new rabbi of the Temple Beth El congregation.

The ritual was divided among Rabbis Saul Silber, Chaim Regensberg, M. Aronovich, Herzl Kaplan, Irving Meisel, and Abraham Carden, Reverend Jacob Waid, father of the bride, Cantor M. Greenberg, and Cantor Leo Radin. The twin sisters of the bride, Selma and Meriam Waid were bridesmaids.

The officers and congregation of Temple Beth El were hosts at the wedding reception, under the leadership of Mr. and Mrs. Abe Rosen, Mrs. Harry Fann and Mrs. Isadore Silverman.

About 150 relatives and guests attended. Rabbi and Mrs. Smith left for a short honeymoon.

Rabbi, Mrs. Parzen To Be Honored

Special SOUTH BEND—A reception in honor of Rabbi and Mrs. Maurice Parzen, who were recently married, will be given by Sinai Congregation and Sisterhood on Sunday evening, Nov. 21, at the Synagogue. Mrs. Max Ein and Mrs. Arthur Scheer are in charge of arrangements, and the entire community is invited to attend.

Religious Round Table Continues At Ft. Wayne

Special FT. WAYNE — For the third successive year, the Religious Round Table of Fort Wayne, has re-organized to offer opportunity for liberal discussion of local, national, and world problems and

Bar Mitzvahs

Harold Price
SOUTH BEND—Harold Price, son of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Price will observe his Bar Mitzvah Saturday morning, Nov. 20, at Sinai Synagogue. A reception will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Price at 7:30 p. m. Saturday.

State Births

TERRE HAUTE — Rabbi and Mrs. Abraham L. Rosenblum announce the birth of a son Tuesday, Nov. 16. The B'rith Milah will be at 2 p. m. Wednesday, Nov. 24 at St. Anthony's Hospital. Rabbi Rosenblum will officiate in capacity of Mohel. The congregation is invited.

FT. WAYNE—Mr. and Mrs. Jack L. Brenn of Huntington, have received word of the birth of a daughter to their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brenn of Denver, Col.

TERRE HAUTE—Pfc. and Mrs. Jack Leonard Werber announce the birth of a daughter, Carol Ann Monday, Nov. 15 at the Union Hospital. Mrs. Werber was the former Ruth Ethel Shatsky, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Shatsky with whom she is making her home for the duration. Pfc. Werber, who is stationed at Camp Campbell, Ky., arrived Monday on a 10-day furlough.

FT. WAYNE — Mr. and Mrs. William Ochstein announce the birth of a daughter.

major issues of the day. The first Forum will be held Sunday evening at the Y. W. C. A. on the topic "What Is Our Share In the Post-War World?" The participants in these Forums are Reverend G. W. Lucas, Rev. E. L. Harold, Rev. R. S. Hoagland, Rev. R. F. Sheaffer and Rabbi Irving A. Weingart.

Sisterhood Bridge Party Planned—The monthly B'nai Jacob Sisterhood bridge party will be held Sunday evening at the Hebrew Center. Mrs. Sam Schechter is chairman for this bridge party.

Weingart Resumes Discussion Series—For the fifth consecutive year Rabbi Weingart will conduct his series of lectures entitled "Life as Viewed Through Current Literature." The first lecture took place on Wednesday.

Personals—Mrs. Maurice Rothberg and sons have joined Major Rothberg (medical corp) at Fort H. G. Wright, located off the coast of New London, Conn. . . . Miss

Marriage Vows Read For Miriam Soloff, Manuel Price

Special SOUTH BEND—In an impressive ceremony Sunday evening, Nov. 7, Miss Miriam Soloff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Soloff, became the bride of Manuel Price, son Mrs. Samuel Price of Mishawaka. Officiating at the nuptials were Rabbi Alexander Blumofe of Chicago, and Rabbi Aaron M. Rine. Attending the bride were her sister, Mrs. Mitchell Elling, the Misses Rachelle Blumofe and Sylvia Smith, Aviva Elling and Ruth Muriel Marcus. Reuben From, Marshall Sherman and Morris Gottenstein attended the groom.

Following the ceremony a reception for 180 guests was held in the vestry rooms of the synagogue, after which the couple left on a wedding trip.

Two Engagements, Wedding Mark Month For Gary Family

Special GARY—Mrs. Anna Levin, is announcing this week the engagements of her two daughters, Lillian and Miriam.

Miss Lillian's fiance is Mr. Sam Friedman of Chicago. She is a graduate of Junior College, Lincoln, Ill. Her wedding date has not been set.

Miss Miriam, a nurse at Barnert Memorial Hospital, Paterson, N. J., will wed Mr. Philip Hertzberg, of Paterson.

Miss Levin introduced her fiance to her family when they attended the wedding, Nov. 6, of Cpl. A. Robert (Sonny) Levin to Miss Natalie Paul, daughter of Mrs. Mary Paul, Chicago. The marriage was performed in Chicago in the study of Rabbi Morris Teller before a small family group. A wedding reception was held for relatives and friends at The Windemere East Hotel. Pvt. Louis Levin, a brother, stationed at Camp Crowder, Mo., and his wife also were present.

Elkhart B'nai B'rith Meets

ELKHART—The Elkhart B'nai B'rith met Tuesday, Nov. 2, at the home of Mrs. Sam Kosnoff, Goshen. It was decided that all meetings be held at the homes of the members, instead of at the hall. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. I. Kosnoff and Mrs. S. P. Lisking.

A card party was held Sunday, Nov. 7, for B'nai B'rith members and their friends. Hostesses were the Mesdames J. Schwartz, S. Zeman, N. Etotsky, E. Simpkins, B. Rosen, L. Pickel, and M. Bernstein. Gifts were donated by Mrs. H. Zerman and Mrs. M. Bernstein.

Gene Really Plays! May Have Visitors

Special HAMMOND — Eugene Spungen, eldest son of Mrs. Mary Spungen, was playing football, as left tackle, when an opponent tackled him with such force that Eugene sustained a broken right leg. He is now at St. Margaret's Hospital where he can expect friends and visitors, his doctor said.

United Hebrew Elects Blumberg, Sutin

Special TERRE HAUTE — Election of officers of United Hebrew Congregation was held last Monday at the congregation dinner. Elected were Benjamin Blumberg, president; Lewis R. Sutin, vice president; Phil Kleeman, treasurer; Dave Rosenfeld, secretary; and the Directors Al Strouse, Abe Rosenfeld, Ike Ades, Carl Wolf, Mrs. Carl Wolf, Arthur Dumes, John Tatelman, Louis Brown, Frank Wolfe and David Rubin.

Temple Auxiliary Elects—New officers elected at the meeting of the B'nai Abraham Auxiliary last Monday are Mrs. Charles Schwartz, president; Mrs. Harry Katz, vice president; Mrs. Mary Goodman, secretary, and Mrs. Harry Simon, treasurer. The retiring president, Mrs. Elias Berkowitz, had held office for 20 years. The organization will celebrate its golden anniversary next month.

Thanksgiving Dance Planned—The Phoenix Country Club will hold the annual Thanksgiving dinner dance next Wednesday. All servicemen and junior hostesses have been invited. Dr. Harry Binger said. He is assisted by Abe Kaufman and Edward Chaskin.

Back to School—Rabbi Marshall Taxay of Temple Israel has announced the organization of a class in adult education to begin at 11 a. m. Sunday in the Sunday school rooms. The class is open to all adults.

To Serve at USO—At the Temple B'nai Abraham Servicemen's Center open house Sunday, Miss Sylvia Fishman, chairman, will have the following assisting junior hostesses: Norma Dumes, Marion Levin, Ruth Ann Goodman and Mollie Goodman. Mr. and Mrs. David Cahn will be senior host and hostess.

Personals—Mrs. Abe Weisman, who has just returned from the National Hadassah Convention, was accompanied home by Miss Rose Hoffman of New York City. . . . Mrs. Philip Jacobstein of Louisville, Ky., is visiting her brother-in-law and sister Mr. and Mrs. Frank Becker. . . . Mr. and Mrs. David Rubin and children have returned from visiting Mr. Rubin's mother, Mrs. Hyman Rubin and family of New York City. . . . Mrs. Isaac Silverstein met her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. David Prywich in St. Louis last Sunday and accompanied them to their home at Dallas, Texas. . . . Mrs. Arthur Mautner of New York City, has returned home after a

Welfare Fund Holds Annual Dinner

Special SOUTH BEND — The annual dinner sponsored by the Jewish Welfare Fund of St. Joseph county was held Thursday evening, Nov. 1, at the Oliver Hotel with Dr. Baruch Braunstein of New York City as guest speaker. Mr. Sam Brown was chairman of the campaign committee and his co-chairmen were the Messrs. Sam Berman, Sam Feuer, and Dr. Marcus Gilman. Officers for the ensuing year are Abe Hurwich, president Saul Block and Philip Weisberger, vice-presidents; H. L. Maza, secretary; and Jake Levy, treasurer.

Sparber, Stern Speak To Lafayette Lodge

Special LAFAYETTE—Barzellai Lodge and Auxiliary met Tuesday evening to hear District Deputy Frank Sparber and State Association First Vice President William Stein, both of Gary, Ind. Refreshments were served.

Personals—Mrs. Mamie Pottlitzer celebrated her 80th birthday Tuesday, Nov. 16, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph M. Mayerstein, where she received her friends from 3 to 5. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Strauss attended a dinner party at the Broadmoor Country Club on Sunday, Nov. 14. The occasion was the silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Abe Zimmerman of Peru, Ind., who were hosts to 25 guests. . . . Philip Croll, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Croll, and David Pearlman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pearlman, are in Italy. . . . Herbert Winski, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mose Winski, has been sent to Princeton University to receive his naval training. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Fried and Rabbi Meyer H. Simon will attend the dedication exercises at Indiana Hillel on Sunday. . . . Mrs. Harold Berger spent several days in Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. Ben Paller will review the current Broadway hit by Clare Booth, "Margin For Error," for Servicemen and Cadettes at Kirshbaum Center at 4 p. m. Sunday.

short visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Blumberg. Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Blumberg entertained at a tea for their mother. . . . Mr. Joe Graff is slowly convalescing at his home from a long siege of illness and is now able to receive visitors. . . . Miss Beatrice Simon is in El Paso, Texas where she is visiting her fiancée Lt. David Becker who is stationed at Biggs Field, Texas. . . . Mrs. A. M. Rohde of Chicago, sister of Mr. Maier M. Levin is here during the absence of Mrs. Levin who was called to New York on account of the death of her father, J. Raskin.

FT. WAYNE—Lt. Samuel M. Ruchman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Weinstein recently arrived at Sheppard Field, Texas.

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SARA'S COLUMN

By SARA MESSING STERN

ON THE JAMES WHITCOMB RILEY en route to Chicago to attend the convention of the National Council of Jewish Women were the parents of Dr. Mortimer Mann, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mann of Los Angeles, who had spent a week with their son, his wife, their two children. Alfred B. Maschke and his good-looking wife were also on the train to spend the week-end in Chicago. Mrs. Maschke was Jennie Mack Fox. I knew her as a child, when she visited her uncle and aunt, Rabbi and the late Mrs. Emil Leipziger in Terre Haute. Jennie Mack's grandmother, who lived with the Leipzigers, was a sister of the late Judge Julian Mack.

DID I HAVE one grand time picking out native Hoosiers from all over the country and finding them almost nostalgic with longing for news of "home." Of course we Hoosiers were jubilant over the election of Mrs. Joseph Welt of Detroit to the presidency. She was the former Mildred Goldsmith of Ligonier. The president of the Tulsa, Okla. Section, Mrs. Louis M. Brenner, was Sadye Lee Sebel of Indianapolis, sister of Mrs. R. A. MacGill, here, whom she is visiting. Mrs. William Garfinkle of New York City, was the former Helen Kobin of Indianapolis.

Aside from Hoosiers by birth or adoption, there were the usual queries about relatives or friends in Indiana: Mrs. Mathias Strashun Anzel asked about the Indianapolis Strashuns; Mrs. Joseph B. Gaylord of the Detroit section is the former Dorothy Lentin, niece of Mrs. David Silverstein of Terre Haute. Mrs. Charles Goldberg of Milwaukee, wanted to know if I knew one of her best friends, Lorraine Goetz Strauss (Mrs. Emanuel) of Salem, Indiana, a former Milwaukee girl. Mrs. Strauss happens to be related to one of my dearest friends, Mrs. Simon Strauss of the Marott Hotel. Mrs. David Hokin, of Chicago, was Bess Valinetz of Indianapolis. And was I glad to see Esther Riff and her husband, David, former Terre Haute folks. A little bird whispered that David will be the next president of Temple Emanuel, Chicago.

And at the memorial dinner and program in the ball-room, Wednesday evening, whom should I run into but Henry Nathan and his wife. Henry came to Indianapolis with his parents and sister from Germany when he was about ten and our families have been friends through the years. Mrs. Harry E. Mann, a delegate from Racine, (I hadn't seen her since the days I went to Chicago regional meetings as president of Terre Haute's Council) told me that Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hahn's daughter, Evelyn Hahn Milch, (Mrs. Sidney) who was reared in Indianapolis, is a leading young matron of Racine.

I SHOULD LEAVE you in this reminiscent mood. But—didn't I knock out a piece of a front tooth when I bit on a peach seen and didn't I cut my nose with one of those toilet scissors that "a baby could use without harm or hurt" and didn't my 500 pounds cause a chair to break under me, making me non-compus (or is that my usual State?) from 3 p. m. until 7 p. m., with a handsome doctor hovering around solicitously? . . . And DO ask Mrs. Charles Efrogson, attending her first Triennial (it was Mrs. Monroe Leiser's first Triennial, also), what thought prompted her to bring opera glasses to the meeting!

Lt. Arthur Neumann Dies in East of Injuries

Special
HAMMOND—Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Lesser were called to New York City suddenly when their son-in-law, Lieut. (j.g.) Arthur J. Neumann, died Saturday in a New York Hospital as a result of injuries received in an automobile accident about two and a half weeks ago. He was riding at the time with a group of naval officers, none of whom was injured seriously.

Lieutenant Neumann, 26, entered the navy two years ago. He was connected with the Crucible Steel Company, as a metallurgist for the navy, in New York City, where he and Mrs. Neumann lived. Lieutenant Neumann and the former Shirley Lesser were married Oct. 12, 1941. He also is survived by his parents, who live in New York.

Kaplan on Radio Thanksgiving Day

Special
GARY—Richard S. Kaplan, Director of Public Relations of the Gary Office of Civilian Defense, will deliver a Thanksgiving address over Station WIND here at 1:45 p. m., Thursday, Nov. 25 on the subject, "Thanksgiving in War-time."

Last Rites Held For Nathan Goldstein, 56

Special
HAMMOND—Nathan Goldstein, 56, Calumet City, died Thursday of a heart ailment and was buried in Oakwood cemetery, Chicago, following services at Burns Funeral Home Friday morning. Rabbi I. Miller and Rev. Bergman officiated at the last rites in the Kneseth Israel Synagogue.

Mr. Goldstein was a resident of the Calumet region for more than 30 years. He is survived by his wife, Libby; a daughter, Mrs. Irving Lem of Calumet City; a son, Pfc. Charles of Camp McCop, Wis.; a brother, Louis Goldstein of East Chicago; a sister, Mrs. R. Goldberg of Coffeyville, Kas., and two grandchildren.

Mrs. Chodos Speaks at Gary

Special
GARY—Mrs. Israel Chodos of Indianapolis was the guest speaker Monday night before members and friends of the Gary Y. W. C. A. She spoke on, "Racial Understanding," at the initial meeting of three fellowship forums sponsored by the committee on vital Christianity.

BUY WAR BONDS

Dance, Convention Plans Occupy Junior Hadassah

The annual Junior Hadassah membership dance will be held Saturday night, Dec. 11, in the Chateau Room of the Claypool Hotel, Jeanette Rappoport and Helen Smith, co-chairmen, announced this week. Ralph Lillard and his orchestra have been engaged for the affair. Phylliss Cooler and Bernadine Dee, chairmen of the dating committee, requested that all who are interested register with them.

The Business and Professional Hadassah group and the Hadassah Debs are being invited to the dance and are helping to complete arrangements for the affair. A special feature of the dance will be the celebration of the 20th anniversary of the founding of Junior Hadassah.

Indianapolis delegates elected to attend the annual National Junior Hadassah convention to be held Thanksgiving week-end, Nov. 25, 26 and 27 at the Hotel Statler in Cleveland, are Jeanette Smith, Lillian Chernin and Jeanette Rappoport. Alternates are Mildred Kraft, Jeanne Sacks and Florence Jaffe. Helen Samuels will also attend the convention and an invitation is extended to every Junior Hadassah member. The highlight of the convention will be an address by Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver of The Temple in Cleveland.

A choral group, directed by Libby Maurer, accompanied by Lillian Steinkeler and composed of Junior Hadassah members, will present a medley of Chanukah and Palestinian songs over Station WISH on a 15 minute program from 10:30 to 10:45, Dec. 26, following which Rabbi David S. Shapiro will give a talk on Chanukah. All girls interested in joining the group are requested to contact Miss Maurer, TA. 1001, before Dec. 8.

Thanksgiving Plans Made to Entertain Guests

Special
ANDERSON—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spiegel will have as their guests for the Thanksgiving week-end, their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fisch of Indianapolis. Another daughter, Betty Louise Spiegel, now attending Northwestern University, will also spend the holidays with her parents. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer Present and daughter Judith of Indianapolis were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Rossin. . . . Bertram Glazer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Glazer, who is engaged in defense work in Hammond, spent the week-end visiting his parents. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Holland of Beverly Court have just returned from several days' visit to Davenport, Iowa, where they attended the Bar Mitzvah of Mr. Holland's nephew. The Hollands will celebrate their 28th wedding anniversary on Thanksgiving Day. . . . The Anderson Council of Jewish Women will hold its December meeting at the home of Mrs. Charles Spiegel, with Mrs. Joseph Holland acting as co-hostess. A book review will be presented by Mrs. Dan Rossin.

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I'd Rather Be Right

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By Samuel Grafton

The price for a square meal in occupied Europe today is revolution against the Nazis or a reasonably exact facsimile. The new United Nations relief organization, which Mr. Lehman heads, is willing to feed Europe on those terms, for that price.

But Mr. Herbert Hoover, persisting in his efforts to feed the hungry people of Europe at once, demands that we furnish food without requiring any price. He would feed Europe before it rebels, or even if it never rebelled.

Between the Millstones

What would happen if we accepted Mr. Hoover's plan? We would then use Swiss and Swedish agents, operating throughout the conquered countries, to succor starving women and children. We would ease their lot, certainly, and we would relieve the minds of their husbands, their sons, and also of their Nazi puppet rulers. We would reduce internal tension in each of these countries, moderate the policing problem, and invigorate the labor supply.

At the same time, we would be hard at work in the skies, bombing day and night, in an attempt to bring about exactly the opposite effects. We would have one great organization, our air forces, killing non-combatants as well as combatants, doing its uttermost to reduce European morale, to increase European tensions, to destroy transport, which is the same as destroying food and clothing. Simultaneously, under the Hoover conception, we would have another great organization bringing in food, soothing unrest, and postponing the breaking point. Mr. Hoover's proposal, for all its weighty humanitarianism, would actually grind the people of Europe between upper and nether millstones, postponing both victory through force, and victory through revolt.

It Does Not Stand Alone

It is a horrid thing to say that food should not be sent to any women and any children, anywhere. But Mr. Hoover's trouble is that he disentangles this one horror from all the horrors of war, then fascinates himself contemplating it as it stands all alone. But it does not stand alone. It stands in a field of horrors, of which air bombardment is one, and of which the scorched earth policy, by which Russia rendered millions of its own people homeless and hungry, is another. Do we deny food to French women and children? So does every French patriot who blows up a railroad line, or who sabotages a powerhouse. He thereby helps to starve and freeze his own, and he does it (and this is no paradox, though it sounds like one) because that is the quickest way to end a situation in which his own are freezing and starving.

The Russians denied the German soldiers houses in which to sleep during winter, at the heavy cost of burning those houses, and freezing their own people. The French underground works day and night to disorganize the economic life of France, destroying factories, disrupting the rationing system, blowing up mines, though it knows that the immediate cost is more suffering for France. What is sabotage except a delayed scorched-earth policy?

Those horrors are committed by men who hate horrors, and as the only end to horror. It is into the presence of these great forces, moving to their speedy climax, that Mr. Hoover would intrude with his moralities and ameliorations.

How To End Horror

But I wonder if Mr. Hoover understands that the Russians, who burnt their villages, were really kinder to their own people, than the French, who saved theirs. It is a real world, and a hard world. The only possible way to be kind in it is to be hard on the right side; and a trumpery, ambiguous morality which both bombs and feeds, does and undoes, decides and retracts, will never avert horrors. The best proposal for ending horror wholesale that I ever heard of was the second front, and strangely enough I cannot recall that Mr. Hoover's voice was ever raised for it.

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The Editor's Chair.

Here's a promise you can clip out and paste in your scrap book. I will never again criticize the Jewish group when it comes to charity. What happened? I just got through doing a little work on the United War Fund, I did some canvassing among firms which if the card I was carrying was for the Jewish Welfare Fund, I would not have dared gone out of without a hundred dollars. In one place the man gave \$10 last year. He was individual division manager for one of the largest national firms in the United States and if his salary wasn't \$10,000 or more, then I'm not an editor. But in other places I got nothing. In fact, one fellow said he gives through his church. When I pinned that one down, it turned out that he put something in the collection dish when it was passed around. If I only had Al Segal's pen, I could really write a piece now.

There is one point that seems to have been overlooked by our editorial writers and lecturers, that has an important bearing on our own "self respect" and Jewish morale. If it is definitely harmful to the morale of the Jews to see signs saying "Jews Not Wanted Here" or "Gentiles Only," then how about the sign we put in our business? Our salesman sold a Jewish man an ad last week, and he said, "Here is what I want you to print—Jews, please do not trade here." At another place he was told: "Here is an ad, run it under a bond appeal, with my name, but that is the only way in which I want my name in your paper. I don't want Jewish business." If these were isolated instances, they wouldn't be worth remarking on; but nearly every Jewish business man says the same thing. "God forbid," they tell you, "If I had to depend on Jewish business."

Now I know as well as you do, what these men are objecting to. They object because they are asked to give cheaper prices; they object because the Jewish buyer more often than not, being in business himself, is more critical of the product than the untutored layman. In addition to these there

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Editorial Page

A Challenge to Indiana Congregations

NOW that Indiana Jewish congregations have before them the example of Beth El-Zedeck in Indianapolis in affiliating itself as a group with the Zionist Organization of America, the challenge is cast at the other congregations in the State. Excepting only two congregations in

Indiana, all the rabbis of the State are affiliated as leaders in their communities with their local Zionist District, so that what is needed is the inspiration not the education. That inspiration Beth El, led by Rabbi Israel Chodos and under the guidance of Daniel Frisch, has now furnished.

An Experiment for Indiana

AS AN interesting experiment in what a little publicity can do (what The Post can do also), how about every reader of this paper going to services next Friday night, Nov. 26. There is no special reason for the date, although there is a special reason for the prompting.

Friday night services have replaced Saturday morning worship in American Jewish life, whether we like it or not. Friday night services are beautiful and heart-warming. Those who attend regularly get a stimulation and a friendly reception which gives them that feeling of se-

have accepted the dictum, "Friday night belongs to the Temple" have sacrificed very little (a bridge party or a movie) and gained something inexpressibly beautiful and valuable.

In this sense, The Post issues the call to its readers to surprise their rabbis next Friday night by filling the congregations to overflowing just as if it were one of the High Holidays. You'll get something from the service you didn't know you needed or would appreciate.

So how about it, Jewish Post reader. Let's surprise our rabbis next Friday night.

More Than a Prediction

UNRECOGNIZED by most Jews, there is gradually being built up in American Jewish community life a set of standards and forces not too dissimilar from the authority that was the kehillah of Europe. American Jewry is maturing and with that coming of age is more or less voluntarily assuming the same obligations and the same burdens and the same responsibilities as those our European progenitors bore a hundred years ago.

For instance there has developed a set of standards of giving to local Jewish welfare funds which cannot be denied and which forces even the miserly to do their share. In respect to Jewish education we are coming to the point where the parent who overlooks the Jewish education of her child, will be subject to censure. A case in point is the Hillel Foundations which hardly any student can refuse to join without publicly acknowledging assimilationist desires. And as far as our communal institutions and agencies are

concerned we long ago accepted the responsibility for their support.

Without using force, force is being used. The authority of the Catholic Hierarchy does not exist in Jewish life, yet the Jew is performing his Jewish tasks just as if that authority were invested in Jewish leadership. Of course there are some who escape, but they know full well they are shirking their responsibilities, and this tends to make the defection temporary, and more often than not the unorganized and unaffiliated Jew comes back into the fold.

This is only a trend towards an ideal situation, which will be the American Jewry of twenty-five to fifty years from now. But enough evidence of the tendency is obvious to make this more than a prediction. The student of American Jewish life of the past ten years can see the crystallization of many of the necessities for a healthy Jewish life in America, and can draw encouragement from the development, slow and gradual and halting as it is.

Current Comment

Chaplain A. G. Baum Answers Sailor Who Asks, "Is There A Heaven?"—Now that the Holyday season is over, we begin once again the reading of the first chapters of the Bible. In the opening pages of the Book of Genesis we are given a picture of paradise, the garden of Eden. It is the land of peace and never ending happiness.

"Chaplain" a sailor will ask, "Is there a heaven? Can we ever hope to enjoy Paradise?" In all honesty the chaplain will answer, "I cannot prove that there is a heaven, for that matter I cannot prove to you that there is a God. However, I believe that He does exist and that in His way He gives us a glimpse of heaven and paradise."

Perhaps this answer may not satisfy the sailor, particularly when he has had rough sailing. Yet an occasion arises in the life of every man when he gets the assurance of Paradise.

We catch a glimpse of heaven when we meet loved ones after months of absence. We gain a sense of eternal optimism in the courage and daring of men who face danger and death in the hope of destroying evil. We come to believe in Him after we recognize the glory and beauty which exists in nature. Can one look upon the happy antics of children at play without recognizing the inherent joy which resides in human nature?

Mankind loses its vision of Paradise in the midst of bitter conflict. Hardship and pain make us wonder whether God will help us to find the Land of Happiness. We are continuously faced with discouragement but so long as man believes that it is possible to have peace and a chance for happiness we can never abandon hope in the future. Paradise will be regained through the earnest efforts of men who have faith and vision.

Synagogue Notes

Beth El
SOUTH BEND—Dr. Charles T. Bailey of the First Presbyterian Church will be the guest speaker at Friday evening's services, Nov. 26. Hostesses at the reception will be the Mesdames Ben Horowitz, E. Fink, R. Fischgrund, J. Fischhoff, L. Fishman and P. Flower. The Men's Club will hold a dinner at 6 p. m. Wednesday, Nov. 24. Mrs. Samuel Hurwich is chairman. Prof. John H. Sheehan of Notre Dame will be the guest speaker.

Knesses Israel

The Friday Evening Forum of the Knesses Israel will open at 8:30 p. m. Friday evening, Nov. 19. Rabbi Shapiro will begin his series of addresses on Jewish history and biography. The Adult Study Group meets at the home of the rabbi at 8:30 every Monday evening and the Talmud Class meets at his home at 8:30 p. m. each Wednesday.

B'nai Jacob

FT. WAYNE—At services tonight Rabbi Irving A. Weingart's A.Z.A. Sabbath sermon topic will be "Youth—Yours Is the World to Come." A. Z. A. members assisting in the service will be Edward Bransilver, Irving Brateman, Sidney Lyons and Leon Waldman. Milton Bronstein will deliver the sermon. A reception by the Mothers of A. Z. A. will follow the service.

Men Serve Sunday Supper

The Sunday supper was served by a committee of men at the USO-JWB Club Sunday night. Lou Young, chairman who was ill, was replaced by Mrs. R. W. Greenberg, assisted by Messrs. Barney Blichman, Herman Chalfie, Leo Cohen, Ed Dayan, Aaron Dee, Fred Davidson, Gus Domont, Jack Efrogmson, Joe Epstein, Leonard Farber, George Frank, Marc Wolf, Elmer Frankel, Sam Glick, Jack Goldberg, Jack Goodman, L. L. Goodman, R. W. Greenberg, Stanley Levinson, Dave Lipp, Lou Munter, George Pells, Harold Platt, Sidney Weinstein, Sydney Romer, Sam Rose, William Rosenthal, N. Rothbaum, Irving Ruben, Max Rutenberg, George Samberg, Paul Scharffin, William Schloss, Max Selig, S. Silberman and I. Sidney Stein, Dr. Leon Berger and Dr. L. Lapinska.

Inter-Faith Service Set for Thanksgiving

An all inclusive Field Thanksgiving Service will be held at the Atterbury Army Air Field in Columbus, Ind., Chaplain Elmer L. Patterson has announced. Rabbi David Shapiro will appear on the program with a Catholic Priest and a Protestant Minister.

THIRD CANTEEN PLANNED

Mr. Eph Levin and Mr. Mack Laner have announced that the third B'nai B'rith "Stage Door Canteen" will be held at Kirshbaum Center Saturday, Nov. 27.

MEN'S CLUB OFFICERS NAMED

The newly elected officers of the Knesses Israel Men's Club are Jack Tobbin, president; Mr. Sol Hoffman and Mr. Morris Kasoff, first and second vice presidents; Mr. William Safran, secretary, and Mr. Sam Rabin, treasurer.

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POSITION IN BOSTON INCIDENT EXPLAINED BY COMMITTEE

To the Editor:

I wish to inform you that your No. 2 editorial in the issue of Nov. 5th is based on an article written by Rabbi J. X. Cohen, which shows complete lack of knowledge of the Boston situation. The whole basis of his article and the whole tone of it is not justified by the facts.

The situation is being handled intelligently, constructively and courageously. I wish to assure you any statement to the contrary is based on a complete lack of understanding and is filled with prejudice.

Yours very truly,

Casper M. Grosberg.

Chairman Central Advisory Committee, Boston, Mass.

Editor's Note: Whether Rabbi J. X. Cohen's article shows complete lack of knowledge of the Boston situation and was "not justified by the facts" is between Mr. Grosberg and Rabbi Cohen, although it must be said that as head of the Economic Discrimination Division of the American Jewish Congress, Rabbi Cohen has done a universally-praised piece of work in the past ten years. Rabbi Cohen wrote that it was he who brought the situation to the attention of John P. Lewis, editor of PM, who then sent the reporter to Boston, which culminated in the expose of the whole mess.

That there is a division of opinion as to the advisability of bringing the incidents into the public eye, and that these attacks were common knowledge to Boston Jewish leaders who knew that Jews were being attacked over a period of months, seems to be conceded by everyone. The editorial in question attacked this hush-hush policy. Evidently some one was sitting on the powder keg.

The Central Advisory Committee, through its Executive Director Henry W. Levy, has sent me a statement of its position, but the point in question is not clear. The statement, parts of which are printed below, does not indicate whether the Committee intended to throw the matter open to the public, or merely to submit the facts to a police commissioner who over a period of months had taken no action to clear up the situation although there had been court cases and arrests and complaints and affidavits. The other point is, that the story blew up in the face of the Central Advisory Committee, which whether it was intending to go to the public in case the Police Commissioner refused to act or not, was placed in a very bad light because as a group which should have had the responsibility for doing something about the situation, it had until PM broke the story done nothing as far as the public was concerned.

STATEMENT BY CENTRAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Monday, Oct. 25

The Central Advisory Committee was formed for the purpose of advising on and coordinating Jewish communal work in Greater Boston. Although the preliminary organizing meeting was held in June,

1943, the committee did not become organized for active work until September, 1943. The Central Advisory Committee consists of thirty-eight individuals representing a cross section of citizens who have been actively interested in Jewish and secular civic efforts.

Early in October, 1943, Councilor I. H. Y. Muchnick brought to the attention of the Central Advisory Committee the fact that there had been numerous unprovoked assaults upon Jewish citizens in Dorchester, mostly juveniles, by gangs of boys and young men. The reports indicated that these attacks were made upon Jewish residents, because of the fact that they were Jews and for no other reason.

Immediately upon receiving this information the committee asked that the evidence be submitted in such form that it could be presented to the proper authorities, and appointed a sub-committee to supervise the gathering of such data. It was the unanimous opinion of the committee that this material, when correlated, should be presented to police and state authorities, with the demand that all the power of the city and the state, if necessary, be used to stop the continued terrorization of Dorchester residents.

The Central Advisory Committee feels that the assaults upon Jewish residents in Dorchester is not a Jewish question, but are evidence of a serious menace to our democracy, which should be faced and solved by all Americans. Insofar as the lawlessness is a matter of hoodlumism, the problem is purely a police question in which all citizens alike are interested. To the extent, however, that these acts indicate the successful advance in Massachusetts of the anti-Semitic Nazi policy of "divide and conquer," the situation presents a sinister aspect, which can only be met by the united efforts of all persons interested in preserving the safety and freedom of our country.

To date, the Central Advisory Committee has:

1. Promptly appointed a sub-committee to gather the available facts concerning the assaults in Dorchester.

2. Conferred, through its representatives, with Police Commissioner Joseph Timilty on Monday morning, October 18, the appointment having been made on the previous Friday, several days before the incidents were first reported in the press.

3. Delivered, on request, a summary of the data in its possession to Commissioner John Stokes of the department of public safety, after his appointment by Governor Saltonstall to head a fact-finding investigation.

4. Urged by the Governor to expand his advisory committee, on a non-sectarian basis, by the appointment of additional outstanding citizens to study the question of anti-Semitism and to recommend ways and means for combatting it.

5. Appointed counsel to defend four Jewish boys arrested in Dorchester for alleged participation in an affray, and to continue to act

"Golly, It Was Great," Exuberant Soldier Says To The Editor:

After months of wondering if copies of the Post would ever catch up with me, I was happy when five old, but welcome, issues reached me. Golly, it was great reading all that news. Naturally, being from Gary, I am most interested in Gary news, yet current Jewish news, draws my attention first.

Thank you for continuing to send me the Post. News here in the Southwest Pacific is scarce, and the Post is my only way of keeping up with Indiana news.

Respectfully yours,
PVT. IRVING DALKOFF.

The Editor's Chair

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are instances, I imagine, where Jewish buyers return items which they have worn, or demand repairs, and so on and on.

Now there may be many instances of poor buyers like this, but take myself. Because of having heard so much of this kind of criticism, whenever I buy, I never mention in the least about the price. I rarely, if ever, return an article, often even buying without a good examination—all because of what I hear continually about Jewish buyers.

It's not just the assimilationist Jew who voices these unkind and unnecessary criticisms. If that were true, then the complaint would be understandable. They don't like anything Jewish, so they don't like the Jewish buyer.

As far as I can see, when the older generation disappears, this so-called evil will disappear, for I doubt that there are many young people who ever give cause for this kind of criticism. And the older generation, brought up on the European system, where the first price is never the buying price, has plenty in justification.

But still that is not my point. My point is that the complaint is not justified, and is merely some kind of a defense reaction by which the businessman builds up his ego. I deal with thousands of Jews every week, and although there are some bad, they are just the average, and as a whole they are just as any other group of people. I wish there were even more.

Many of these chronic complainers have some very fine Jewish trade. Some of their best customers even. In fact on questioning, I have had them admit as much to me. These they overlook when a person comes in who may be overly choosy, or may want a cheaper price, etc.

I wonder, too, what kind of buyers these guys are when they order their merchandise; whether they exhibit every trait which they complain about in others.

In any event, it is definitely a bad streak, and has very little reason for being. Let's cut it out.

for those boys in any developments of these cases which may occur after the trial.

6. Indicate its willingness to cooperate with all other individuals and organizations sincerely interested in eliminating the evil of anti-Semitism in our community.

Florence Slutzky on Junior Council Board

Among the fifteen board members elected to the national board of the National Council of Jewish Juniors at the convention in Chicago last week was Miss Florence Slutzky of Indianapolis.

RABBI GREENWALD EXPLAINS AIMS OF AMERICAN COUNCIL FOR JUDAISM

To the Editor:

"Truth" is a hardy plant; it may oft be found in strange places! Witness the following excerpt from the Oct. 8th issue of the Congress Weekly: "It is quite possible that the American Council for Judaism, would not be fighting so desperately against Zionism if the idea of a Jewish Commonwealth did not entail the concept of Jewish nationhood. The big guns of the American Judaists are pointed not so much at Palestine as a haven and spiritual center as at the concept that makes American Jews an integral part of that world-wide people which sees in the Jewish Commonwealth its highest political aspiration."

This, I submit, is a rare gem! It is as clear and succinct a statement of the basic difference between the objectives of "politically minded" and "religious-minded" Jews as could possibly be expressed. Coming from the pen of the ultra-Zionistic editor of the Congress Weekly, it dramatically corroborates our sympathy for Palestine, which is oft obscured and distorted, by this same source.

Should Not Be Offended

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lowed Jesus is very much emphasized in Catholic instruction, with the result that Catholics, as Catholics, are less anti-Semitic than any other group of people.

No Anti-Semitism

According to Catholic teaching the Redemption of Christ was decreed in heaven long before He was born in this world. Evidently some were to be the instruments in the hands of God for the realization of that Redemption.

The writer has interviewed many of his confreres in the episcopate and numerous members of the clergy, and has failed to find a single one who entertained the slightest prejudice against the Jews of today either on religious or racial grounds.

In religious classes for Catholic children it is certainly emphasized that Christ was Himself a Jew; that His Mother, whom all Catholics hold to be God's noblest and holiest creature, was a Jewess; that all the Apostles, John the Baptist, extolled by Christ as the greatest of all prophets, St. Stephen, the first martyr, were Jews; in a word, that Christianity derives from Israel.

TO HOLD OPEN HOUSE

Special

BLOOMINGTON — In keeping with the football atmosphere on campus, Sigma Alpha Mu has completed plans for an open house and buffet supper to be held immediately after the Indiana-Purdue Football game. Many Alumni and friends are expected to visit the chapter. Guests during the week were Rabbi and Mrs. H. Pollack, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Goodman of Peru, and Misses Barbara Begner, and Gerry Goldman.

Saturday Nite-ers to Spell

An old-fashioned spelling bee will be held by Kirshbaum Saturday Nite Club at their next meeting, Saturday, Nov. 20. The contest will be followed by dancing. "Jitterbugs" are invited to attend the "Juke box Jamboree" to be held at 8:00 p. m., Wednesday, Nov. 24, in the Kirshbaum Auditorium.

No member of our council could have stated the case better! We are not fighting the opportunities which have come or which may come to our unfortunate brothers to find a haven from the storm of hate. But we do oppose, implacably, the "highest political aspiration" of those who wish to "make American Jews an integral part" of a world-wide political pressure group!

Continuing in this same article, I find other instances of realism and honest confession. To those who beat their breasts in triumph over the "victory" of the Zionist political idea at the American Jewish Conference, the editor says: "This is self-deceiving." "The delegates," he asserts, "who acclaimed the Jewish Commonwealth probably would have registered a different proportion of ayes and nays had they been asked to vote on a separate resolution declaring that the five million Jews in America regard themselves as part of a world-wide Jewish nation." In this I must compliment his discernment, registering, for my own part, only a polite questioning of the word "probably." "Undoubtedly" would have been more accurate! Undoubtedly, few American Jews would consciously vote to declare themselves an integral part of another nation, even the 'Jewish Nation'!

"The idea of a conscious national Jewish existence has not yet taken hold of the mind of American Jewry," he admits, and might have added, despite the huge sums spent on propaganda. No, it has not taken hold, because American Jewry has been emancipated not only from the ghetto, but from "ghetto-thinking," and it is encouraging for us to know that even the editor of this Zionist publication sees that there are still vast areas which offer the American Council for Judaism fertile ground for the spread of its doctrines. This, thank you, is exactly what we are doing!

Again, rebuking his boisterous brethren, he reminds them, "it was not Zionism in its large ideologic sense that won the victory at the Conference, but the political formula of a Jewish Palestine." Here again, I would offer an emendation. Not a political 'formula', but political 'maneuvering'! It was a well organized minority, that knew what it wanted, that was not only politically-minded but also politically experienced in making the most of its opportunities, a victory of such a group, at the expense of the great mass of American Jews, who as Jews, have had no political aspirations, and hence no "political machinery" nor "politically-experienced" leaders. For such Jews, the American Council for Judaism offers not political aims, nor political organization, but we raise high the banner of our religious faith round which they may rally, for the preservation of that faith, against the inroads of secularism in general, and of secularistic Jewish nationalism in particular. For this purpose, we have organized the American Council for Judaism. American Jewry has waited for this leadership. They are joining our ranks rapidly. The editor of the American Jewish Congress Weekly has encouraged us, albeit unintentionally, certainly unwillingly! We thank him.

RABBI MILTON GREENWALD.
Evansville, Ind.

The SOCIETY Page

Henrietta Rothbard to Wed Easterner In Thanksgiving Ceremony at Home

Mrs. Bessie Rothbard, 1103 West Kessler Blvd., announces the approaching marriage of her daughter, Henrietta, to Charles C. Stern of New Haven, Conn., which will take place Thanksgiving day, Nov. 25, at the family residence. Rabbi Israel Chodos will officiate. Among the affairs to honor the bride-to-be were a personal shower last Tuesday evening by Mesdames Sam Yaver and Joseph Epstein, at the Broadmoor County Club; a dinner party at Broadmoor last Sunday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Farber; a dinner party at the home of Mrs. F. Levinthal and her daughter, Helen, on Fall Creek Blvd., Thursday night. At all of these parties, the family and bridal party were guests. Mrs. Max Selig will entertain at her home Saturday afternoon with a tea and cocktail party and a miscellaneous shower; Mrs. Jerome Wachter will

Mr. and Mrs. William P. Meyers left today to spend a few days with their son-in-law and daughter, Lt. and Mrs. Fritz Goldbach, in New York. Lieutenant Goldbach is stationed in Brooklyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bloch have returned home after a few days spent at the Edgewater Beach Hotel in Chicago.

Mrs. Bernard Lehman will return Sunday from a stay in Martinsville.

Mrs. Sultan Cohen and her mother, Mrs. M. Alexander, who have been temporarily at the Lincoln Hotel, will occupy the R. Domont home at 5201 North Meridian while the Domonts winter in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wolf will leave Tuesday for New York where they will visit their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bernstein, and son Jimmie. Mr. Wolf will remain over the weekend, and Mrs. Wolf will stay for two weeks. She plans to go to San Francisco in February for a visit with their son, Lieut. (j.g.) John Wolf, and his wife, the former Phyllis Block.

Lieut. Robert Kahn, stationed in Chicago, spent two days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kahn.

Saul Munter is recovering from an operation at Methodist Hospital. His son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Levy came from Chicago to be with him.

Mrs. Louis Trinz will leave next month to spend two weeks with her mother and sister in New York.

Louis Trinz will return today from Los Angeles.

Mrs. J. B. Solomon leaves next week for Chicago for a few days stay.

Mrs. Joseph Gelman is in Washington, D. C., visiting her daughter and family, Capt. and Mrs. Henri Meis and son, Henri Jr.

give a kitchen shower at her home next Monday evening and Mrs. Sig Asher gives a luncheon next Wednesday noon at Block's tea room.

Out of town guests for the wedding will be: Mr. and Mrs. Harry F. Hornstein and daughters, Marjorie and Irene, from Detroit, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Silberberg and daughter, Joyce, and Mrs. H. Solomon from Danville, Ill.

Monument Chapter, O. E. S. No. 549, will meet at 8 p. m. Monday, Nov. 22, at the Masonic Temple. Goldie Friedman is worthy matron and Robert P. Friedman is worthy patron, and Mrs. Bertha Mehlman is entertainment chairman.

Cpl. and Mrs. Sidney Katz left Wednesday for Newark, N. J., to visit his parents. Mrs. Katz is the former Bernice Kline.

Dr. Howard Kahn, of the staff of the Lying-In Hospital, Chicago, was home to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph H. Kahn, 3156 Washington Blvd., over the weekend.

FORT WAYNE

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Louis Lebensburger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lebensburger, is attending the University of Pittsburgh where she is taking an 18-month course in social work which will entitle her to a Master of Science degree. Mrs. Sid Weissman spent the past few days with her brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. N. L. Salom. Mrs. Louis Stiefel who suffered a broken wrist is convalescing at home. Mrs. Sam Goldstein who has been visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rosenthal, has returned to Chicago.

Hammond Lodge To Elect Dec. 1

At the next business meeting of Hammond B'nai B'rith on Dec. 1, election will take place. Nominations were made at a meeting at Beth El Temple Wednesday. The B'nai B'rith Auxiliary will hold a social on the same evening.

Junior Hadassah Delegates to Go to Convention—Representing the Junior Hadassah of this region at the 20th annual convention to open Nov. 25, in Cleveland, will be Miss Julia Spector, president, and Miss Dorothy Abrahamson, past president.

When the local group met Monday in a joint session with the Young Judeans, final plans were made for the "Night of Stars" to be sponsored by the organization in the near future. It was announced, also, that all girls interested in bowling are to meet at 10:45 a. m. Sunday at a local bowling alley.

Beth El Sisterhood to Meet Dec. 1—The next meeting of the Beth El Sisterhood will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 16, at the temple. The meeting will be a combination luncheon and card party.

Chi Delta Phi to Meet—The next

Jane Hartzell, Sgt. Philip Laub Wed in Chicago

A wedding of interest to Indianapolis people took place Sunday in Chicago, when Jane Hartzell, daughter of Charles Hartzell of Celina, O., and Sgt. Philip Laub, whose family have been local residents for about eight years, were married there.

Present at the wedding were Mrs. Mabel M. Laub, mother of the groom and children Dick and Barbara and Mrs. Lillian Stinson, all of Indianapolis, who went to California after the wedding.

Sergeant Laub who was recently wounded in Africa, is now stationed in Salt Lake City, where the young couple will spend their honeymoon.

Unveiling

A stone will be unveiled at 2:30 p. m. Sunday, Nov. 21, at Beth El cemetery in memory of Mrs. R. Salam, mother of Mrs. M. Gallin and Henry Salam. Rabbi Israel Chodos, assisted by Cantor Myro Glass, will officiate. Friends are invited.

Anniversaries

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rabinowitz celebrated their 24th wedding anniversary, Nov. 16.

meeting of the Chi Delta Phi Sorority will be held at the home of Miss Florence Friduss Nov. 23.

Samuel Singer Memorial Club to Meet—The Samuel Singer Memorial Club will hold its next meeting Sunday, Nov. 28, at the Foster Poper home, Chicago. The meeting will be a special dinner party for club members because of the new son at the Poper home. The meeting will be Sunday, Nov. 28.

Eta Tau Delta to Dedicate Incubator—Eta Tau Delta Sorority's four chapters in the Calumet region, which have been working together for the newly acquired incubator for St. Catherine's Hospital, East Chicago, will hold a dedication next week.

Jewish Women to Meet Wednesday—The next meeting of the Jewish Women's Club will be Nov. 24 at the home of Mrs. S. Wiener.

The largest legacy ever donated by a living person to the Jewish National Fund has been made by Mr. and Mrs. Simon Jevetz of Tel Aviv. The amount contributed is 50,000 pounds (\$200,000). The contribution is to be applied toward carrying out large post-war projects which are now under consideration.

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Heads Council



Hoosier Named President

Special CHICAGO — Mrs. Joseph M. Welt of Detroit, was elected president of the National Council of Jewish Women at the triennial convention here last week. Mrs. Welt is the former Mildred Goldsmith, of Lagoonier, Ind.

Lillian Singer Becomes Bride Of Pfc. Rothschild

Miss Lillian Singer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Singer, and Pfc. Leonard Rothschild, son of Mrs. Henry M. Rothschild, were united in marriage last Sunday at the Columbia Club.

Present at the wedding were Sgt. Arv K. Rothschild of Camp Blanding, Fla., and Sgt. Sanford Rothschild, of Sheppard Field, Texas. Following the ceremony, which was performed by Rabbi Israel Chodos assisted by Cantor Myro Glass, dinner was served at the Columbia Club for 85 guests. The bride and groom left on a wedding trip and will be at home in Urbana, Ill., after Nov. 21. The groom is a member of the Army Air Forces at Chanute Field, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Sigmund Regenstein, 635 East 56th street, announce the birth of a daughter Monday, Nov. 15, at the Methodist hospital.

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BY PHINEAS BIRON

YOU SHOULD KNOW

Here's a revealing quotation from John Roy Carlson's "Under Cover" which explains much about the anti-Semitic disorders in Boston. . . . Francis P. Moran, fuehrer of the New England Christian Front, gave this advice to Carlson: "The only thing you can do now, of course, is to talk about Communism and the Jews. . . . You can't touch the war. . . . A whispering campaign is the best thing now. . . . They'd have a hell of a time tracing it. . . . Mrs. Murphy tells Mrs. Duffy, and she tells Mrs. O'Toole, who tells it to Mrs. Smith. . . . Yes, these women can certainly dish it out, and by the time they end up they've got something which everybody believes. . . . It's the safest thing to work nowadays. . . . The movement has friends all over the city—a lot of people here think the way I do." . . . A new smear campaign is being prepared against the Jewish movie moguls of Hollywood. . . . This time the issue will be "pro-Communist propaganda." . . . The main targets will be Warner brothers and Samuel Goldwyn—all of whom, incidentally, are fanatically anti-Communist. . . . The "evidence" against them will be their production of films about Russia that don't knock our Soviet allies.

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JEWISH NEWS

The controversy between David ben Gurion, Palestine labor leader, and Dr. Chaim Weizmann is assuming alarming proportions. . . . Ben Gurion is standing pat on his ultimatum: Weizmann or I. . . . The Poale Zionists in this country are, however, hesitating to give him their support. . . . They are afraid of a break in the Zionist ranks—a break that would seriously affect their fund-raising activities. . . . And so tremendous pressure is being exercised on Ben Gurion by many of his party comrades, asking him to reconsider his resignation as chairman of the Zionist Executive. . . . But in the meanwhile Ben Gurion is remaining adamant. . . . A date to watch out for is Dec. 20. . . . On that day headlines will appear throughout the country on a matter of great significance to Jews interested in Palestine. . . . Contrary to all expectations, the Jewish Labor Committee will not resign from the American Jewish Conference. . . . Negotiations with the British government anent the abrogation of the White Paper are at a standstill.

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THIS AND THAT

Broadway's Lee Strasberg, we hear, is about to desert that famed street for Hollywood, to become a movie director. . . . We congratulate Hollywood, but hope he doesn't stay away from the theatre too long. . . . Moss Hart's Air Force Show, "Winged Victory," has had its out-of-town opening, and is being acclaimed as a masterpiece. . . . Particular mention is given to the sets, which are the work of Sergeant Harry Horner. . . . Horner, if you remember, came to this country only a few years ago as a member of the entourage of the late Max Reinhardt, who discovered him in Vienna. . . . On his deathbed by the way, Reinhardt expressed a desire to be buried in Palestine. . . . Meyer Weisgal tells us that after the war this last wish shall be fulfilled.

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ABOUT PEOPLE

Pierre van Paassen tells us that his new book, "The Forgotten Ally," will be published in the German language. . . . In Switzerland. . . . Reports are pouring in that Nathan Straus will be drafted to run for the mayoralty of New York. . . . The Democratic Party regards him as an ideal candidate, for he has virtually no enemies among either Jews or non-Jews. . . . Ben Joseph, legal adviser of the Jewish Agency in Palestine, is on his way to America. . . . Ivy Low (Mrs. Maxim Litvinov to you) will leave these shores to join her husband in Russia before the year is over. . . . But before she leaves she will have delivered to her publisher the manuscript of her autobiography, which she is calling, "Everyone Vulnerable."

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WEEKLY GIGGLE

The Nazis, the news reports tell us, are trying to clamp the lid on what they call "political jokes" by outlawing them. . . . But that can't stop the most prolific source of anti-Nazi humor—the grapevine. . . . From it, for example, Harry Hershfield recently culled the story of the Jew who somehow managed to get into a Berlin radio station and begged the announcer for an opportunity to address the world over the air waves. . . . Finally the announcer gave in to his pleading to the extent of permitting him to say just one word over the radio. . . . "But remember, only one word," he warned the Jew—who then rushed over to the mike and at the top of his lungs shouted, "Help!"

An article, "A New World is 'The Torch,' official publication of Born," by Rabbi Elias Charry, the national federation of Jewish appears in the November issue of Men's Clubs.

Deny 100,000 Jews to Enter Canada

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

MONTREAL—The campaign which French-Canadian reactionary elements in the province of Quebec have been waging in an effort to prevent the admission into Canada of any refugees from Europe received a sharp setback this week when Minister of Mines and Resources, J. A. Crerar, who is the official responsible for immigration matters, denied the allegation that Jews are negotiating to settle 100,000 European refugees in the Quebec district.

The charge was first made by Maurice Duplessis, former premier of Quebec, who has frequently been accused of having Fascist leanings. Duplessis, speaking at a meeting in a rural community recently, exhibited what he purported to be a photostatic copy of a letter from the "International Zionist Brotherhood" to Rabbi Jesse Schwartz, executive director of the Zionist Federation of Canada, stating that a meeting of the "brotherhood" in New York had decided to give financial support to any political candidate in Canada who "openly or secretly" would support the settlement of 100,000 Jews on farms in Quebec.

Rabbi Schwartz and Louis Fitch, K. C., prominent Canadian Jewish leader, have branded the letter a "clumsy forgery" and denied the existence of any such organization as the "International Brotherhood."

Government spokesmen revealed this week that Canadian officials in Lisbon are already examining the applications of refugees who wish to proceed to Canada. These applications, after being examined on the spot, will be transmitted to Ottawa for approval, after which regular immigration visas will be issued.

No restrictions will be made with regard to race, or religion, or profession in issuing the visas, it was emphasized. There is no limit on the number of visas to be issued in Spain and in Portugal. Preference will be given to families.

RABBIS' DRAFT LAUDED

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

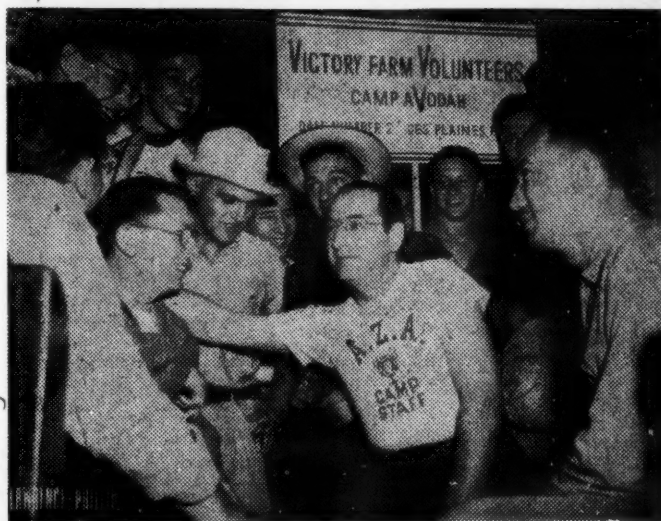
NEW YORK—Conservative rabbis who have waived their right to exemption from service in the U. S. armed forces, to which they are entitled as clergymen under the Selective Service Law, and have entered the army and the navy as chaplains under a self-imposed "draft" system, were lauded this week at a dinner meeting concluding an all-day conference of Jewish chaplains held at the Jewish Theological Seminary.

U. S. Jews May Send Delegation to Russia

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

NEW YORK—A delegation of American Jews may soon proceed to Russia. It will be composed of persons interested in establishing direct contact with the Jews of Russia, and may include even a rabbi.

80 Jewish Boys Harvest Crops



(Top)—A group of Chicago Jewish boys receiving last minute instructions before leaving for a day's work on farms near Des Plaines, Ill., where Aleph Zedik Aleph and the B'nai B'rith Vocational Service Bureau co-sponsored with the Chicago Board of Jewish Education Camp Avodah as a Victory Farm Volunteer camp.

(Center)—Typical group of B'nai B'rith women canning vegetables grown in victory gardens. Similar groups worked throughout the country.

(Below)—AZA boys helping harvest apple crop in Philadelphia as part of the combined project with B'nai B'rith Vocational Service Bureau.

A.Z.A. BOYS AID NATIONAL EFFORT BY HARVESTING, BUYING BONDS

Special

CHICAGO—How 80 Jewish city boys, working for German farmers in the vicinity of Des Plaines, Ill., helped relieve the farm labor shortage is told by C. A. Hughes, County Agricultural Agent of Cook County, Ill. Camp Avodah, the Victory Farm Volunteer Camp out of which the boys worked, was conducted by the Chicago Board of Jewish Education, the Vocational Service Committee of B'nai B'rith's District 6 and Aleph Zadik Aleph, B'nai B'rith youth organi-

zation. The 80 boys spent a total of 550 weeks at the camp, putting in 12,000 man-hours of work. Out of their gross savings of \$1,000, the boys invested \$500 in war bonds. This unique project was part of B'nai B'rith's war service program. In other parts of the country AZA boys and B'nai B'rith men and women worked in canneries and helped harvest urgently needed crops. B'nai B'rith harvest Sundays were common in many states.

JNF Collections To Continue Sunday

Volunteers will again visit

homes to collect and distribute JNF Blue and White Boxes this Sunday, last week so the many volunteers was not possible to collect all boxes Temple Bethel Annex and in the Communal Building on W. Morris St. It will again meet at 10 a. m. in the St.

TOWN CRIER

By G. M. C.

I have been doing a lot of traveling throughout Indiana in the past few weeks, and I have had many talks with Jewish leaders, and can report that without exception, when they really speak from the heart, they are one and all truly pessimistic about the situation of U. S. Jewry. Their logic is almost irrefutable, and they point to outbursts of anti-Semitic violence throughout the country and the various polls as evidence and then add the coup de grace of the millions of returning soldiers either temporarily or for longer upsetting the present excellent economic conditions. Most of the communities have their local problems, too. In one, Carl H. Mote's travelling representative had scheduled a speech for him; in another there was Court Asher, in another there was a travelling Passion Play, and so on. As they are pessimistic, so are they critical of the Anti-Defamation League, which I suppose is only natural in view of the fact that to them the ADL is the one known organization in the fight against anti-Semitism, yet the disease is not being checked. If you think I should comment on the above, then here it is. It is to the utmost interest of every Jew to see that there is no hunger, little unemployment and a fair break for the common man in the post war world.

Several weeks back we printed a picture of Tony Roskin, and this week I received the following note from Tony's father, Gil, with a letter he had received from Isaac E. Bloch, of Washington, D. C. The letter reads: "I am taking a chance on this letter reaching you without any better address than the city in which you are residing. I happened to pick up a copy of The Jewish Post for the week of Friday, Nov. 5, in which there is a picture of your son, Tony. His resemblance to you is so striking that I surmised immediately who he must be. I do not know if you will remember me from so long ago, but my father was minister at Bryn Mawr and the Ebbw Vale during our school days." In his note Gil says: "Can you imagine, it must be nearly 40 years since I saw this kid and we were both dunces in his father's 'chaid' at that time—it's a small world."

Jack Finkelstein is back in Indiana. After 13 months in the army in Florida and Tennessee, Jack, who is now a corporal in the Judge Advocate department, is stationed at Camp Atterbury, and is he happy! Jack, you know was executive director of the Fort Wayne Jewish Federation and has many friends throughout Indiana.

Capt. Ebner Blatt, who is a paratrooper, has arrived safely in England, and even if the war were to end by the time you read this, he would still have a hair-raising tale to tell his grandchildren. I do not know whether I would be violating the newspaper code of censorship, but I'm not going to take any chances, and you can either ask the Blatt's or guess it from these facts. He was nine weeks en route, and he was in Newfound-

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There's a crowd on the lines

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IRVING TAITEL—THE UNKNOWN MAN OF INDIANA JEWRY

By G. M. Cohen

The unknown man of Indiana Jewry is Irving Taitel of Knox, a very small town about 40 miles south and west of South Bend.

Unknown to most of Indiana Jewry, even by name, Mr. Taitel it is who is one of the moving spirits behind the Committee for a Jewish Army of Stateless and Palestine Jews, who under other names is known as the League for a Free Palestine, and the Emergency Committee to Save the Jews of Europe. Not only is Mr. Taitel one of the "brain trust" guiding this militant organization, but it is said that he contributed \$200 a week to it.

Mr. Taitel, as you must have guessed, is of the fighting variety. I called him a pessimist, and he gave me the answer which most Zionists give when charged with the same views, that he is not a pessimist, but merely a realist, and you can take it that way if you wish. But he is pessimistic about the future of Judaism in America; and says it will survive only in Palestine. He is troubled about the indifference of American Jews, and asked me, "What is wrong with American Jews?" For himself, he believes that the Jews of the United States should begin to worry more about themselves solely, and less in the relationship of a by-product to other happenings.

In appearance, tall and husky, Mr. Taitel looks like a Scandinavian, with that same light look around the eyes, and one would hardly take him for a Jew. He is 43 years old, but looks like 35, and his family includes a wife, whom he adores, a daughter at the University of Chicago and one son in the army, and another son only six years old.

Ads For Jewish Army His Idea

Mr. Taitel's interest in the Jewish army group goes back to the infancy of the organization. In fact, it was Mr. Taitel who put over the idea of the full-page ads in the daily papers, which after being the subject of heated controversy, have now been adopted by other Jewish groups. The group was trying to figure out ways and means to bring their cause to the attention of the public, when Mr. Taitel got the bright idea of buying an ad in the first edition of The Chicago Sun, which was just about to come into the Chicago newspaper field. He offered to pay for the ad and the idea was accepted, only The Chicago Sun's first edition advertising space was all contracted for by that time. Mr. Taitel then suggested the New York Times, and you know the rest. These ads, instead of bringing in immense returns (they all have little boxes in the corner asking for contributions from interested parties), barely pay for themselves, Mr. Taitel said.

I may not be giving you a clear picture of Mr. Taitel, but then he is a man of inconsistencies. There is not the slightest trace of viciousness about him, and although his group has been fought by the established Jewish leadership, tooth and nail, he hasn't the first thought of antagonism against them.

Mr. Taitel still thinks the war in Europe will be over by Jan. 1, 1944, although by now he is willing to extend the limit another month or so. Japan will capitulate by June, 1944, he believes. 50,000 Pairs a Week

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them! Between the three factories (two others are at Bremen and Scottsburg), make 50,000 pairs a week when they operate at capacity. The method on which the factories operate was devised by a Notre Dame professor, and the pants travel along a production line, much as in an automobile factory.

Jews Should Be Free To Fight

Mr. Taitel spoke at the luncheon in Chicago, welcoming Rep. Will Rogers, Jr., who went to England for the committee, and I thought I would give you a paragraph from his talk, to show you how he thinks:

"The gradual beating down of the enemy is bringing victory ever closer and closer to the United Nations, but the Jewish people already have lost this war, as is evidenced by their millions of slaughtered dead. We know a greater glory could have portended to fight on the field of battle, under the Star of David, just as the escaped Free French, Norwegians, Poles and others fought and are fighting under their banners."

"Any Jewish Group Does Good"

Mr. Taitel contributes to everything. In fact when I asked him whether he would give money to the American Jewish Committee, if he were approached, he said: "Yes. I may not agree with their policies, but any group working in the Jewish field, is bound to do some good somewhere, and I would help them on that basis." In fact, he told me an interesting story about a \$500 gift he made to the Hebrew Theological College in Chicago. Asked to appear on the program, he consented on consideration that he be allowed to speak for three minutes on the Jewish Army. That was all right with the College officials, but when the time came for his talk, he was told that there had been some objection, and would he be understanding enough not to force the issue? He was. I asked him what he had done this year about the college. "Oh," he said, "I gave them \$500 again this year."

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land for a short and unexpected stay, and the same thing happened to him that happened to the Harvard Division in the first World War. While on the subject, Mamie, who was seriously ill, is now much better, and everyone is relieved.

I like to comment on Abe Goodman of Shelbyville, for everyone likes him. He doesn't have to take a back seat to anyone when it comes to espousal of Zionism. I saw him this week, and he was telling me about what he called "one of the most inspiring evenings he has spent in New York for a long time." He was at the Penn hotel there, and was going down to dinner, when he noticed a large crowd entering the banquet hall. He inquired at the door and found that it was a memorial meeting for

Becomes Senior Rabbi



To Succeed Barnston

HOUSTON, Tex.—Temple Beth Israel, oldest reform Jewish synagogue in Texas and the largest in the South, was the scene Friday night, Nov. 12, of the induction of Hyman Judah Schachtel as senior rabbi. The program, participated in by religious leaders of many faiths, honored both Rabbi Schachtel and Dr. Henry Barnston, who becomes rabbi emeritus after 43 years as senior rabbi.

Officiating at the evening service was Rabbi Alfred Barnston of Congregation B'rith Sholom, Louisville, Ky., son of Rabbi Barnston.

Goldblatt to Review "The Apostle"

"The Apostle," by Sholom Asch, will be reviewed by Rabbi Maurice Goldblatt at 10:30 a. m. Tuesday at the temple, 10th and Delaware Sts. This is the fourth in the series of five reviews by Rabbi Goldblatt, sponsored by the temple sisterhood, to which the public is invited without charge. Mrs. Arthur Fairbanks will present Rabbi Goldblatt. A group of organ selections will be played by Mrs. Evelyn Borofsky-Roskin, preceding the review.

Leon Moisseiff, great bridge builder and writer, who has been a leader in the American Society for the Advance of the Hebrew Institute of Haifa under whose auspices the memorial was being held. Better known as the Technicum, the institute is one of the best technical schools of the Middle East, and has on its American board many of the top architects and engineers of the nation. As you may have guessed by now, Mr. Goodman, although no engineer, attended the banquet and is now a supporter of the school, just as he is of every Zionist endeavor.

Doug Brown, who used to be columnist for this paper years ago, has made more than one change in his life recently. He got married several weeks back, which was a change, but in addition he's left the OPA and taken a position as legal advisor on all matters pertaining to the government regulations with Blocks.

77 NEGRO LEADERS MAKE GIFT TO UNITED JEWISH APPEAL

Special

NEW YORK—Expressing their deep sympathy for the Jewish people "whose extremity of anguish is unmatched in the history of modern civilization," 77 of the foremost leaders in American Negro life last week sent a contribution to the United Jewish Appeal. The sum of \$755 was remitted to Mr. Sylvan Gotshal, the president of the Greater New York U. J. A. campaign, by Mr. Lester B. Granger, Executive Director of the National Urban League.

When Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt was shown a copy of the letter which accompanied the gift to the U. J. A., she said. "It is a moving document. I hope it will be widely publicized."

In giving their support to the nation-wide campaign for overseas war relief and rehabilitation, the upbuilding of the Jewish homeland in Palestine and refugee aid in the United States, the distinguished Negro leaders said: "Daily we read with growing horror of the ruthless savagery unleashed against the hapless Jews in Europe. We, who have known deprivation and suffering in our native land, America, stand aghast at the maniacal fury and bestial atrocities practiced against the Jewish people by Hitler and his foul associates. Negroes share the

tremendous debt which the world owes to the descendants of Israel—for your scholars and soldiers, scientists and judges, teachers and workers have enriched the living of every nation on the globe. But as Negroes, we owe a special debt to those Jews of great spirit who have through the years brought such important material and moral support to the cause of Negro advancement and interracial understanding."

Including among those who made contributions to the U. J. A. were nationally prominent Negro educators, clergymen, judges, labor and civic leaders and editors. In the list were, in addition to Mr. Granger: A. Philip Randolph, president of the Brotherhood of Sleeping Car Porters; Judge Francis E. Rivers, newly-elected to the City Court of New York; Judge Hubert T. Delaney, of the New York Court of Domestic Relations; R. O'Hara Lanier, President of the Hampton Institute; and Dean William Hastie of Howard University.

Meeting Postponed

The meeting of the National Home for Jewish Children, originally scheduled for Nov. 16, has been postponed until Wednesday, Dec. 1.

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AL SEGAL Speaks On Strange Death

Recently a picture called "The Strange Death of Adolf Hitler" has been on the screens. I haven't seen this picture but I make free to take its title for the purpose of relating what I know about the approaching death of Adolf Hitler.

How it came to me is of small importance to the readers who have come to accept the authority of columnists without question and to know that if it appears in a column it's so.

Yet there was a long time in my life when I was not a columnist and in that period I acquired a certain humbleness of the spirit that somehow remains with me even unto now. So that while I have been invested with the authority of a columnist my humility occasionally arises to speak softly: "After all, you're still only Segal."

This is such an occasion. Though the authoritative columnist in me would trucefully dispense with all explanations of how the story of the strange death of Adolf Hitler came to me, the innate humbleness of my spirit tells me I owe it to the people to tell how the story of the strange death of Adolf Hitler came to me.

So I do:

It was on a recent drizzly October evening, too inclement even for a dog to be out, that I sat in the big, fat chair of my living room. As is my custom every such evening I was in the company of my pipe. It is a capacious pipe with mystical properties.

Its fumes circle around my head like soft fingers shut my eyes and carry me off to strange places and scenes and times and introduce me to strange people. So it was that evening. I had been thinking of this and that . . . of our lack of points to buy a good steak . . . of my grandchildren and the way Ellen puts a jigsaw puzzle together already . . . of what kind of a world I wanted after this work . . . all that.

I had taken some dozen puffs of my pipe when, as is the way of the incense-like smoke, it caused my eyes to close and I became aware that I was in the year 2043. It seemed quite incongruous. I looked around: We were still living in the same apartment with the same furniture, though my wife had always been saying that we should move. It was impossible that she would have tolerated our staying here 100 years.

My poor, confused mind was at a loss to make head or tail out of the situation when I was startled half out of my already helpless wits by a sudden voice. . . . "Good evening, Herr Segal." . . . You know how it is to be suddenly assailed by a strange voice in your own living room.

Yet even in most frightening moments I remain the courteous man of aplomb. I looked up at the intruder, who was comfortably disposed on my sofa, and said to him quite calmly: "Good evening, I thought you were dead."

He was unmistakable! That comical mustache I had always laughed at in the picture. That unpleasant voice that had always irritated me ever since I first heard it from the Sportsplatz on the radio. That short, comical figure that had never looked heroic to me.

"Yes, Hittler," I said, "I thought you were dead 100 years."

It couldn't be otherwise than that he was dead. I had seen the pictures! At the Palace Theater, as I well remembered! The picture showed Hitler being led to the wall in the jail yard. A squad of German soldiers. Yes, the Germans themselves had done it. A sharp, rough command of the German lieutenant in charge. We heard the vol-

ley. They spared our sensibilities the sight of Hitler falling dead, but a moment later a crumpled body lay by the wall.

"Hitler, you're dead," I said. "I saw you die."

They had shown us his rude grave afterward. A heap of dirt. Somebody had thrown a ragweed on top. His grave was in a bleak field far from the habitations of men.

"Hitler," I said, "I saw you buried. I saw you buried 100 years ago."

He laughed. He had fooled everybody, he said. I wasn't the only one. The whole world thought he was dead and buried. Ho! Ho. It was a good joke on the whole world. His laughter was mirthless, jagged like the creaking of rusty hinges.

He was alive, he said; had never died. He was as alive as the hearts of the great-great-grandchildren of the soldiers who had shot him. He repeated it: He was as alive as the hearts of the great-great-grandchildren of the men who had shot him. I knew the fellow had a mystical turn and I could guess he must mean something subtly occult by his reference to being as alive as the hearts of the great-grand-grandchildren of the men who had shot him. But I kept arguing the matter:

Hadn't I seen him being taken to his death? The soldiers marching in solemn step. How carefully they examined their rifles to make sure every bullet was in place. I had seen every rifle pointing at his heart. If the rifle barrels could have been extended they would all have come to a point together at his heart. . . . "And it was certainly you who was standing at that wall. The same mustache, the same figure. It was you. I saw your body lying there afterward."

Everything possible was done to make a complete death of it. There were witnesses standing 'round about. . . . "A doctor approached your body and listened through a stethoscope and made sure you were dead. You can't tell me you aren't dead. It was as perfectly managed a job of killing as I had ever seen."

"Ah, but they forgot one thing," Hitler said. They forgot one thing," Hitler said. "They forgot to kill me in their hearts."

Here my pipe fell from my hand and clattered to the floor (my wife scolded me afterward for scattering ashes on the rug) and I opened my eyes. Hitler had gone. It seemed to me there was truth in what he had said. . . . "They forgot to kill me in their hearts" . . . They had killed only the physical Hitler. Hitler, the hideous idea, had kept on festering in the hearts of men, like maggots multiplying, through the generations even to 100 years, to the great-great-grandchildren of the men who shot him. To new generations all over the world whose hearts exhaled miasmatic hates and prejudices and malice by which men were turned one against the other. They hadn't killed him in their hearts.

I thought I should give the incident of my living room to the peacemakers. They may see that peacemaking is not a mere matter of things written on fine paper and of burying Hitler. First of all, it has to do with a way of education by which to purge the falsehood of hate, prejudice and malice from the hearts of people, beginning with their childhood. Then Hitler will be dead also in the hearts of men. Hitler must be killed in the hearts of men.

If the peacemakers have any doubts about the authenticity of the incident, why, here is the evidence of my pipe!

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Leon Blum Village Dedicated



Founders Send Messages

NEW YORK—The dedication in Palestine of Kfar Leon Blum, a village, in tribute to the Socialist leader and former Premier of France who, as far as is known, is now a prisoner in a Nazi concentration camp, took place last week. American founders of the Settlement sent messages on the occasion.

2 Years Ago This Month

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peal against the expulsion order since it was outside the scope of their activities.

BERLIN. — It was learned this week that the correspondent of the Jewish Telegraphic Agency in Munich, Dr. M. Hindes, was held prisoner for a short time in the beer hall where the Hitler-Ludendorff pusch was being planned on the eve of the putsch. Inflamed Hitlerites threatened the JTA correspondent and several other reporters, but they finally were enabled to escape in the general confusion.

WASHINGTON. — It was reported today that President Coolidge favors the present immigration restrictions and believes the House and Senate will extend the law when it expires next June 30. He is understood to feel that the great majority of Senators and Congressmen also favor the immigration bars.

MUNICH. — Native Bavarian Jews declare that although they are anxious concerning the Eastern European Jews who are threatened with deportation by Dictator Voon Kahr, there is nothing they can do about it. The Central Society of German citizens of the Jewish Faith issued a statement saying that the group had decided not to ap-

NEW YORK. — Henry Ford has refused to make public the names of the "Jewish leaders," who, he alleges, have urged him to be a candidate for the presidency. In a letter to the Jewish Telegraphic Agency, he based his refusal on the fear that his "Jewish backers" would be subject to pressure by "Jewish regulatory organizations."

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Melvin Cohen in Texas

ELKHART—Melvin Cohen who was recently inducted into the army at Ft. Benjamin Harrison, has been transferred to Camp Barkley, Texas. His wife, Betty, is staying at home.

WANT SPECIAL BODY

By Jewish Telegraphic Agency

ATLANTIC CITY—Creation of a special body within the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration to deal with Jewish problems was asked in a petition submitted by the Jewish Labor Committee to Vice-Premier Jan Kwapiński of Poland.

At the Joseph and Anna Borinstein Home for the Aged a party will be held for the residents of the home at 3 p. m. Sunday, Nov. 28, under the direction of Mrs. Bert Goldberg, chairman; Mrs. Sam Albert, co-chairman, and the other

members of the committee of Home Entertainment. Members and their friends are invited. Those desiring to contribute homemade cakes or cookies, are asked to phone Mrs. Sadie Satinsky, matron of the home.

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